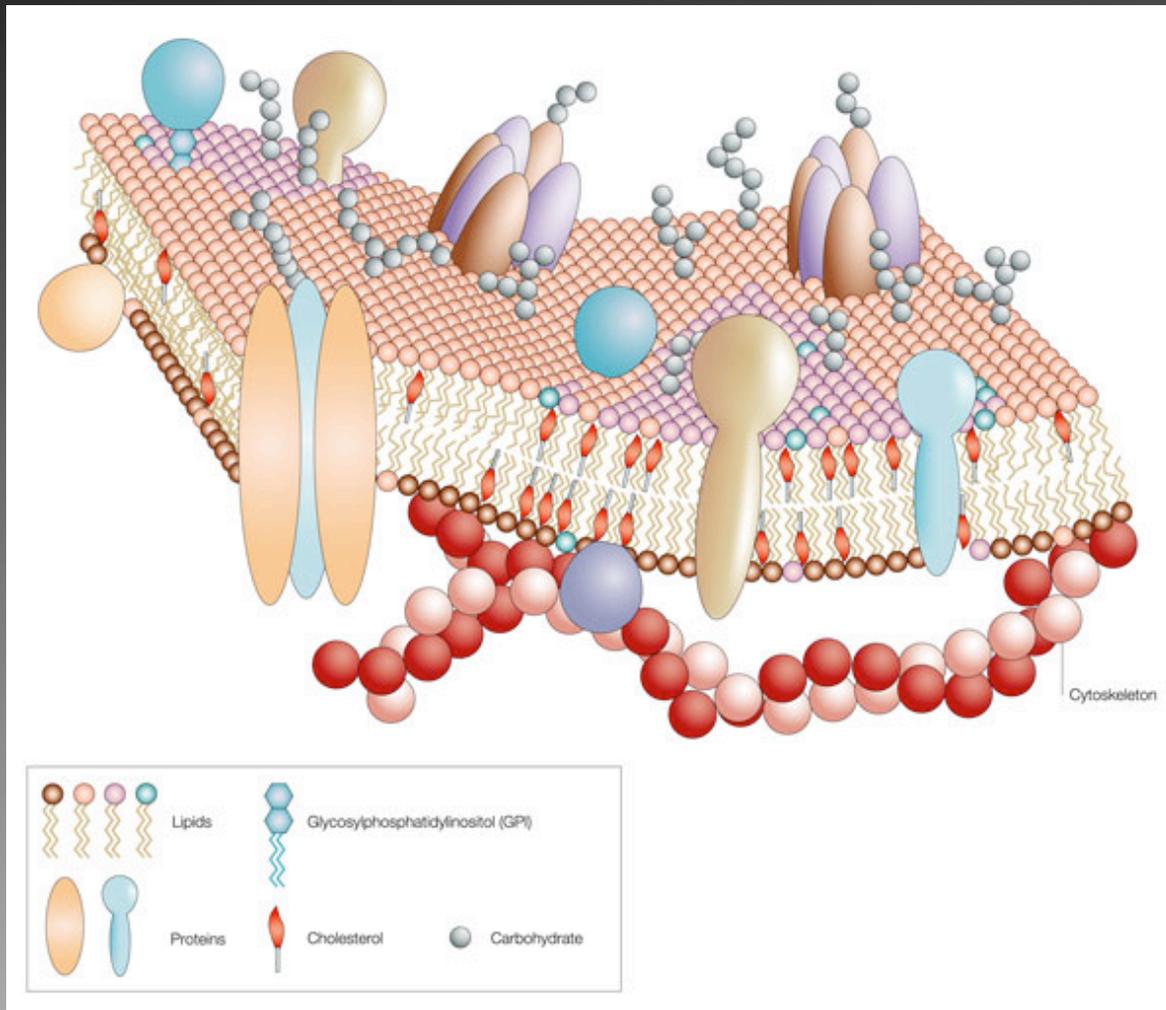


Phospholipid Bilayers as soft Materials

Complexity in Biological
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The Fluid-Mosaic-Model of the Biological membranes and Beyond...



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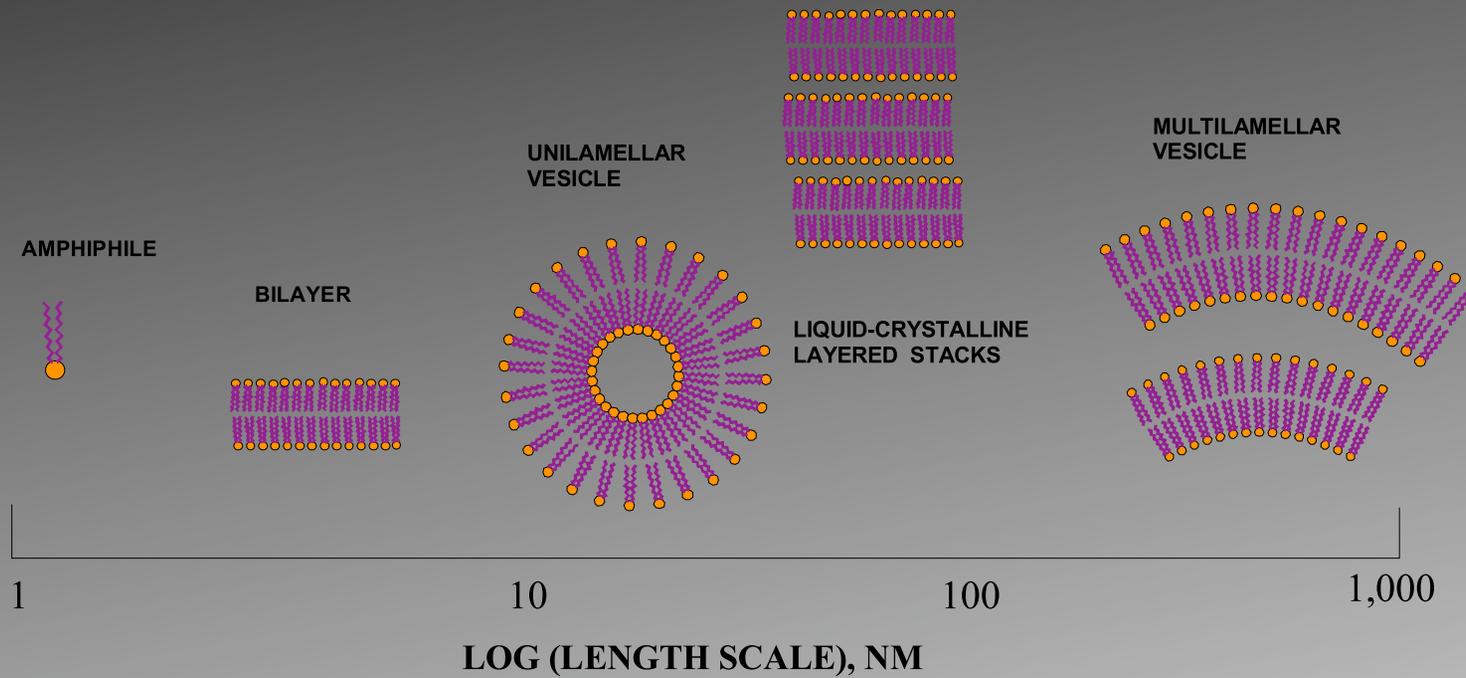
2-dimensional fluid

heterogeneous

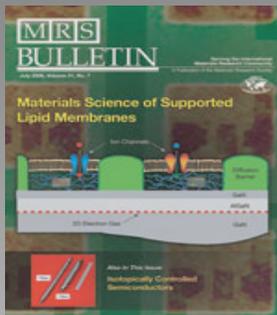
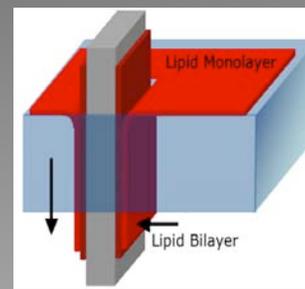
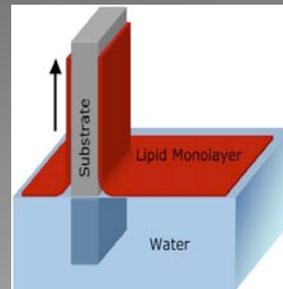
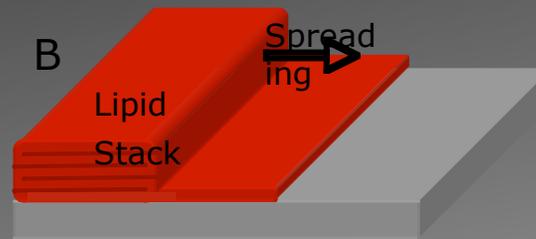
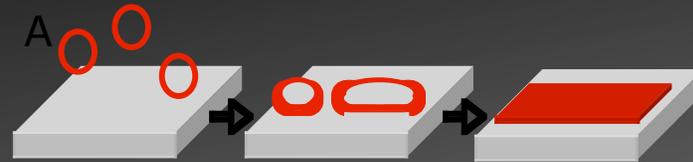
Highly Dynamic

(Albert et al, Molecular Biology of the cell)

Self-Assembly of lipids and surfactants



Synthetic Membranes



(A. N. Parikh and J. T. Groves, MRS Bulletin, Editorial, 2006)

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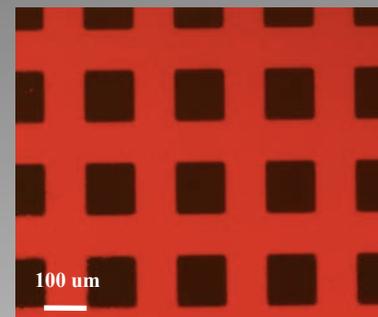
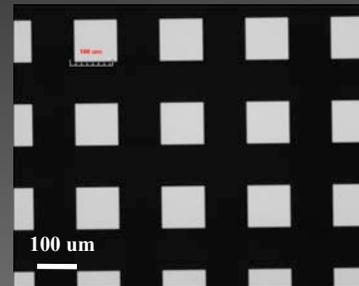
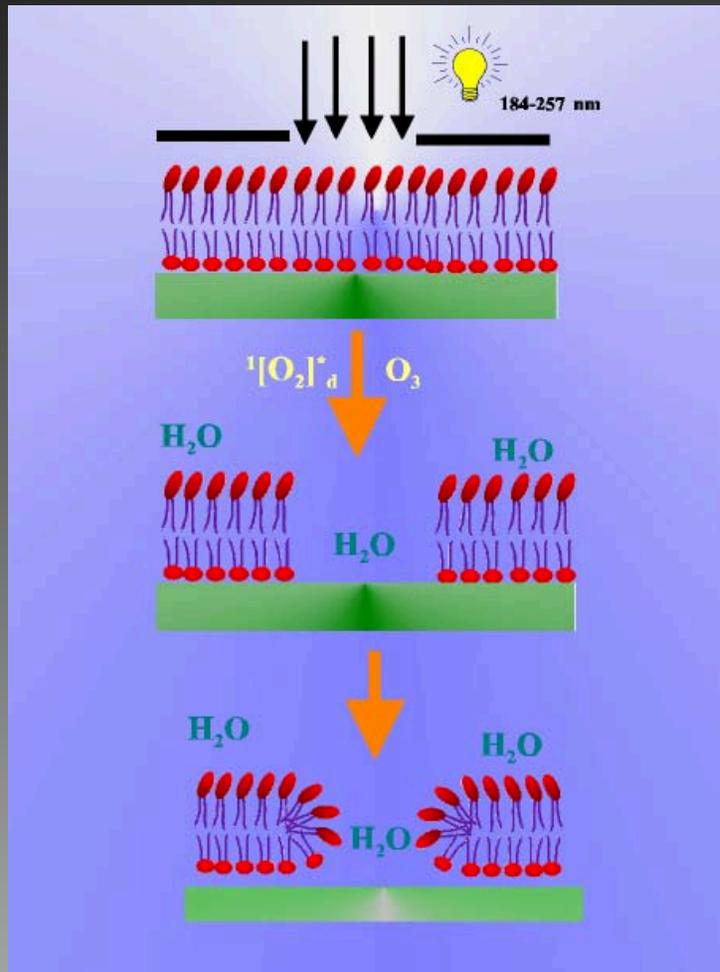
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Compartmentalizing Bilayer Fluidity

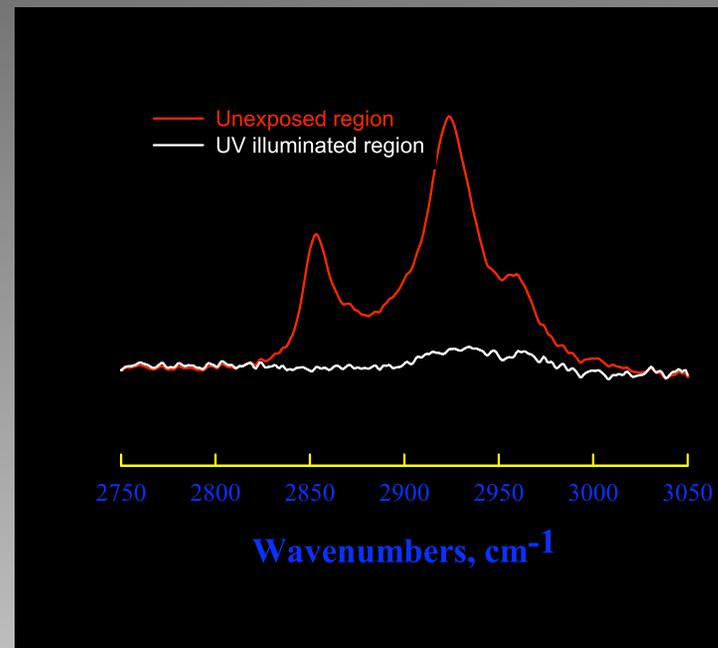
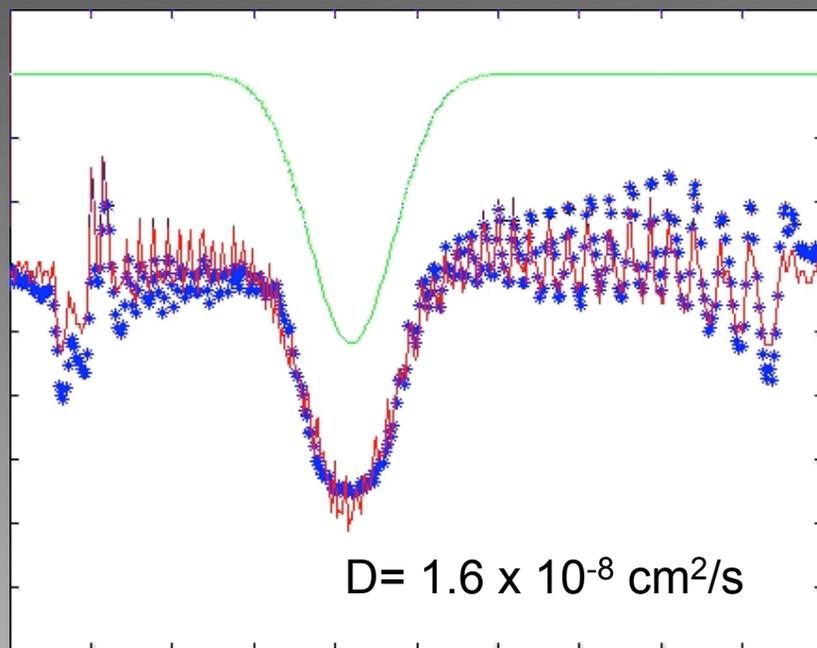
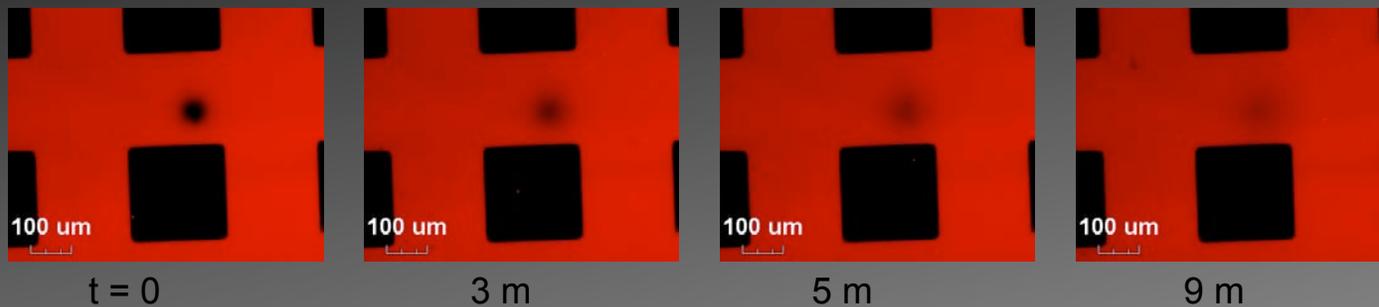
Supported membranes

Membrane Photolithography

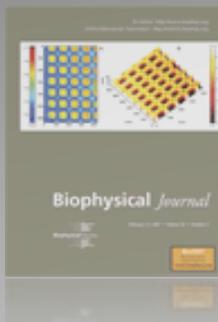
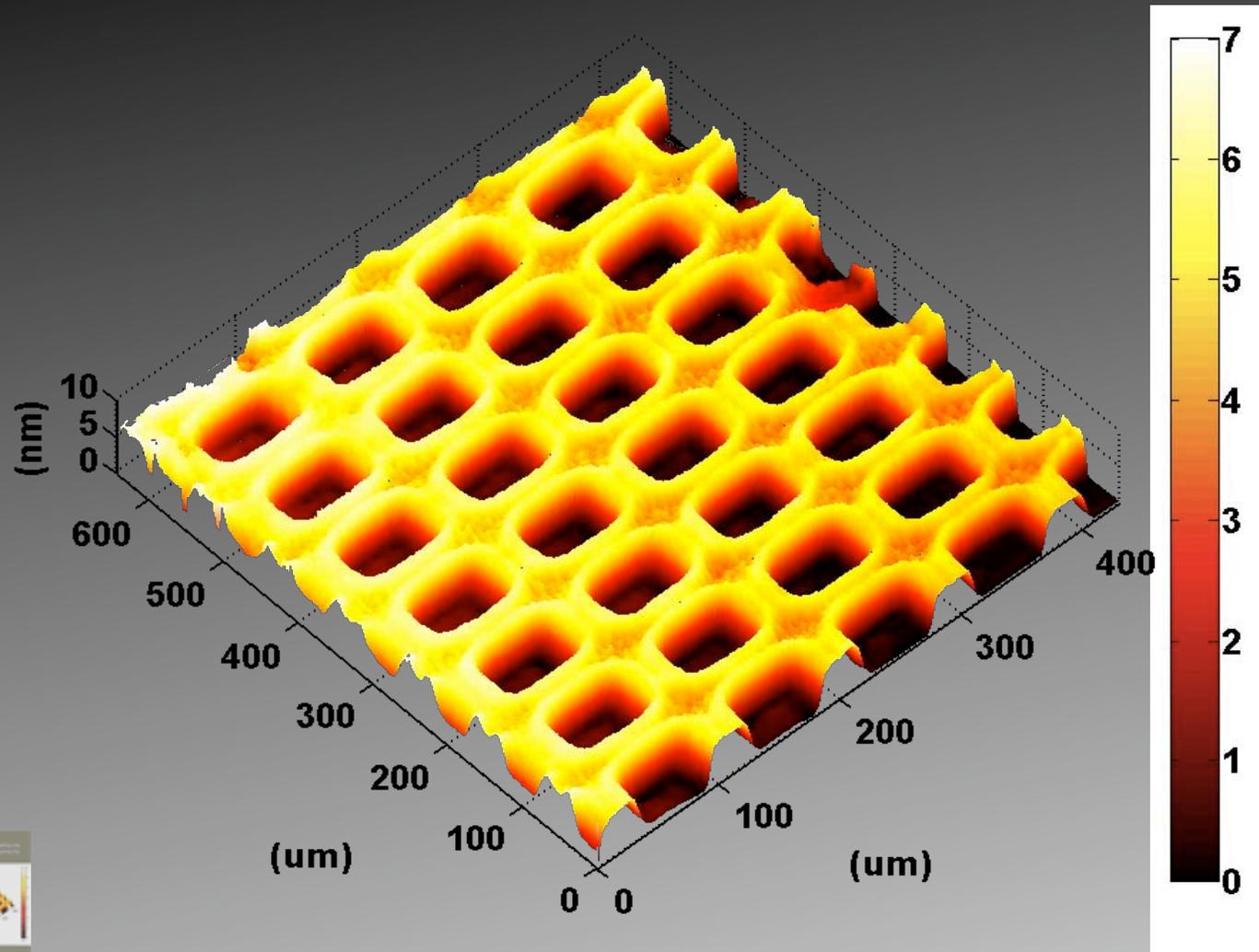


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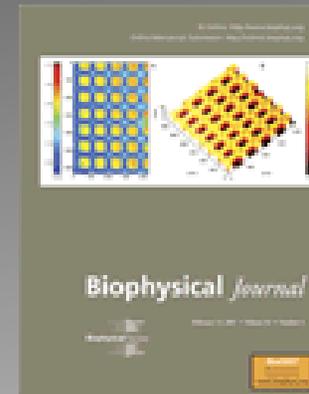
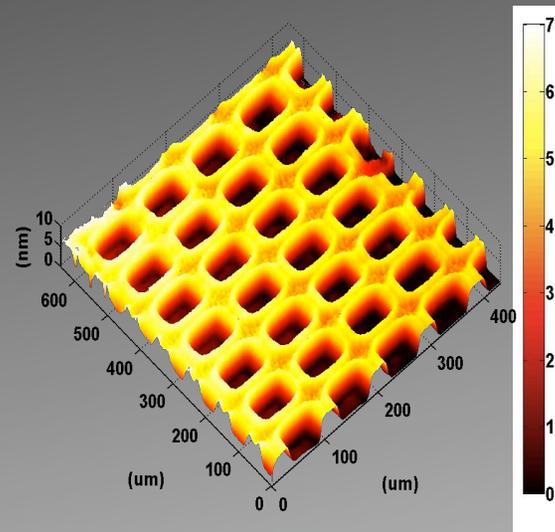
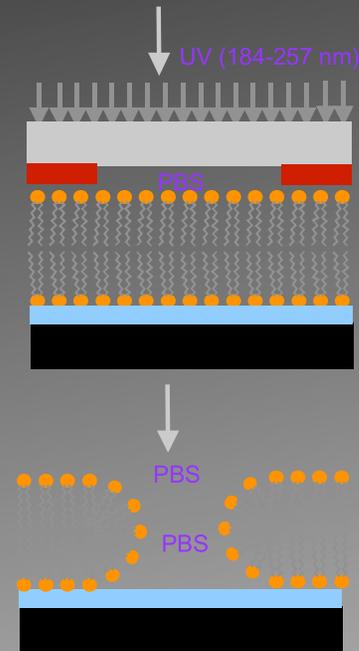
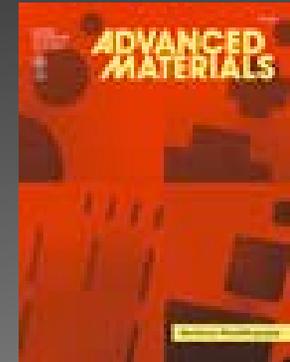
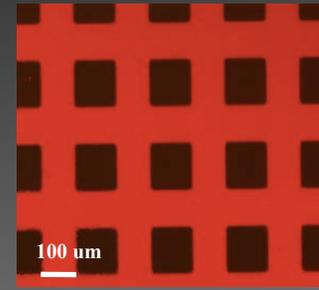
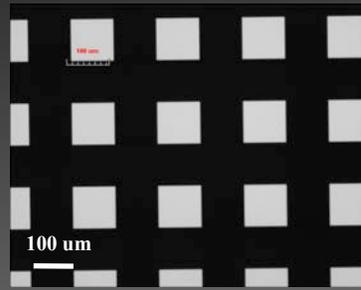
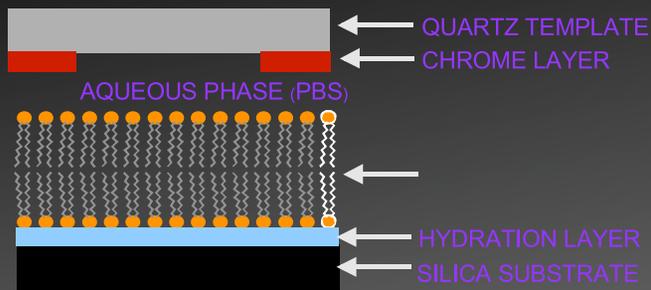


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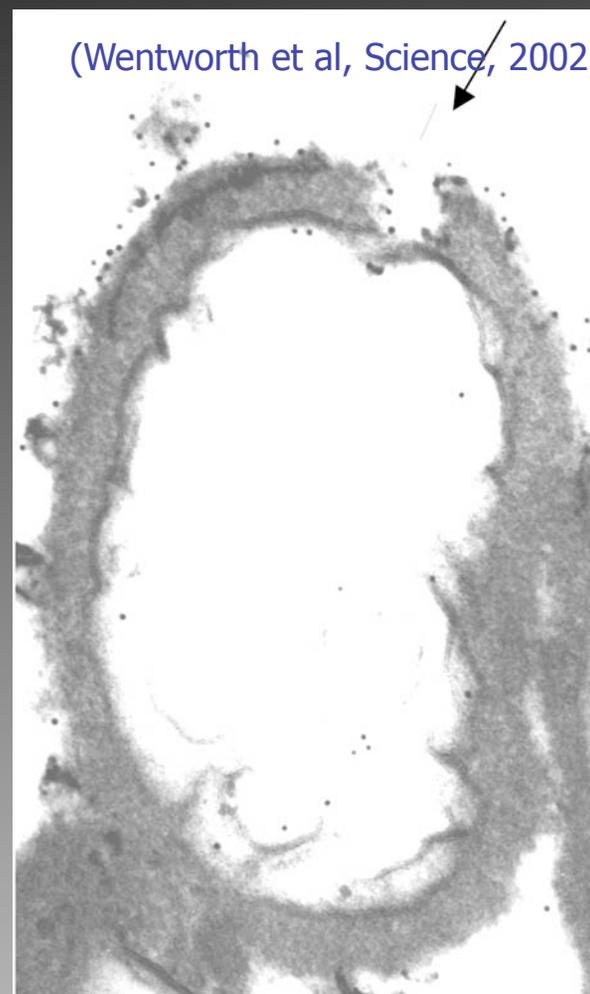
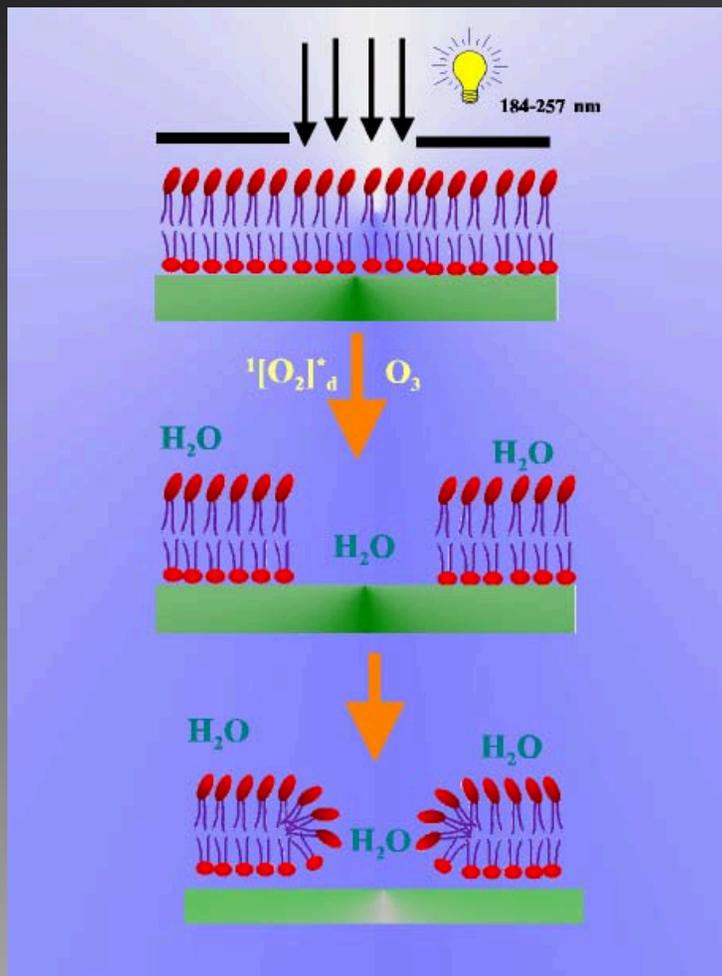
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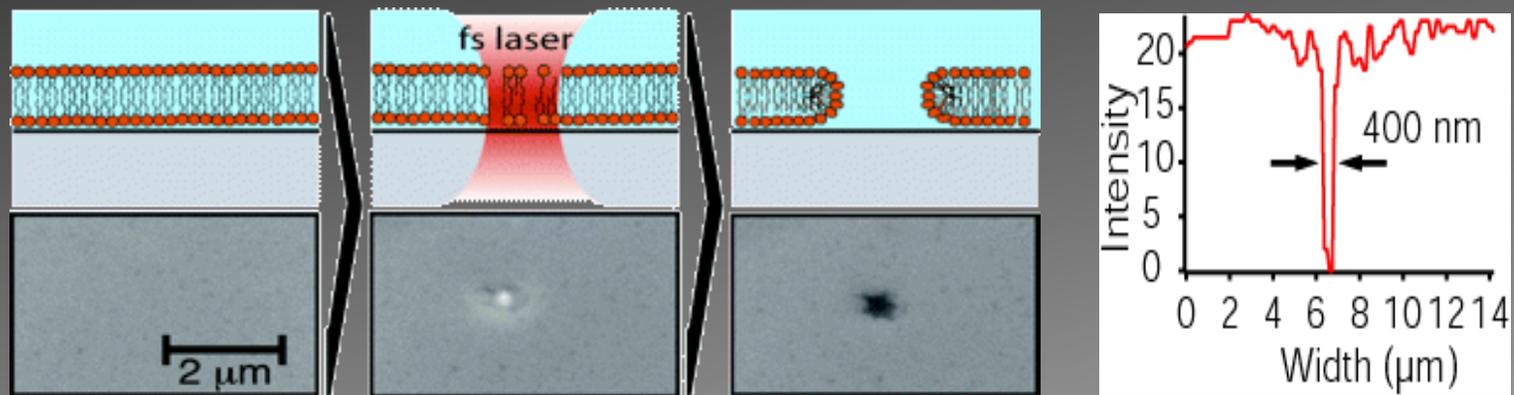
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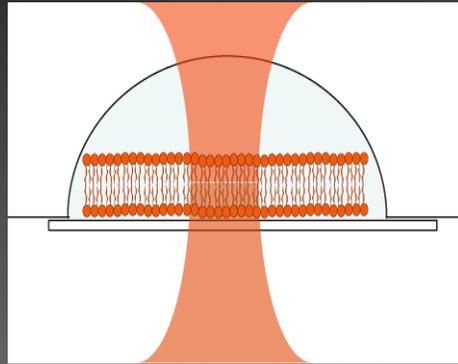
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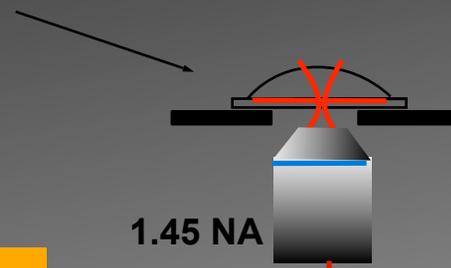
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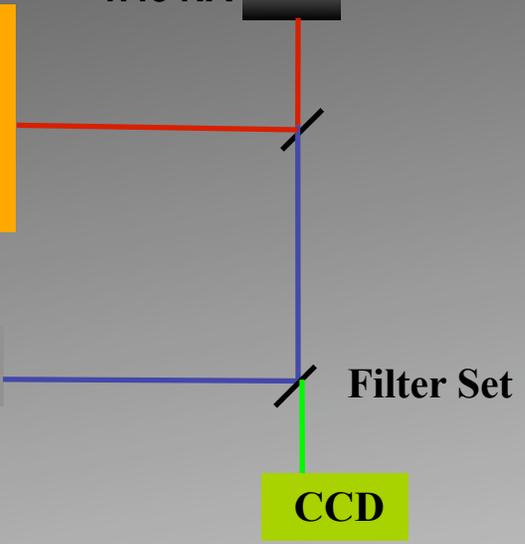


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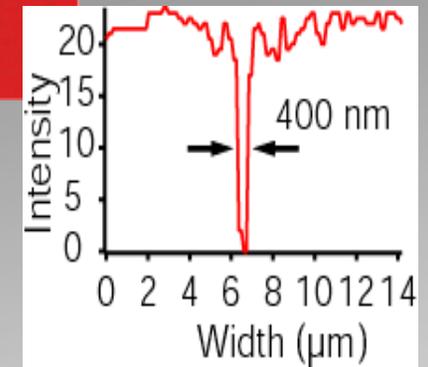
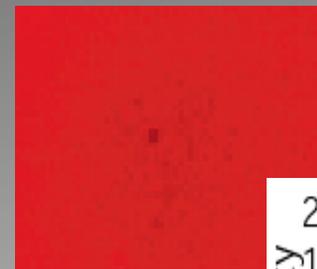
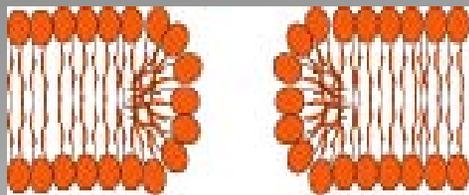
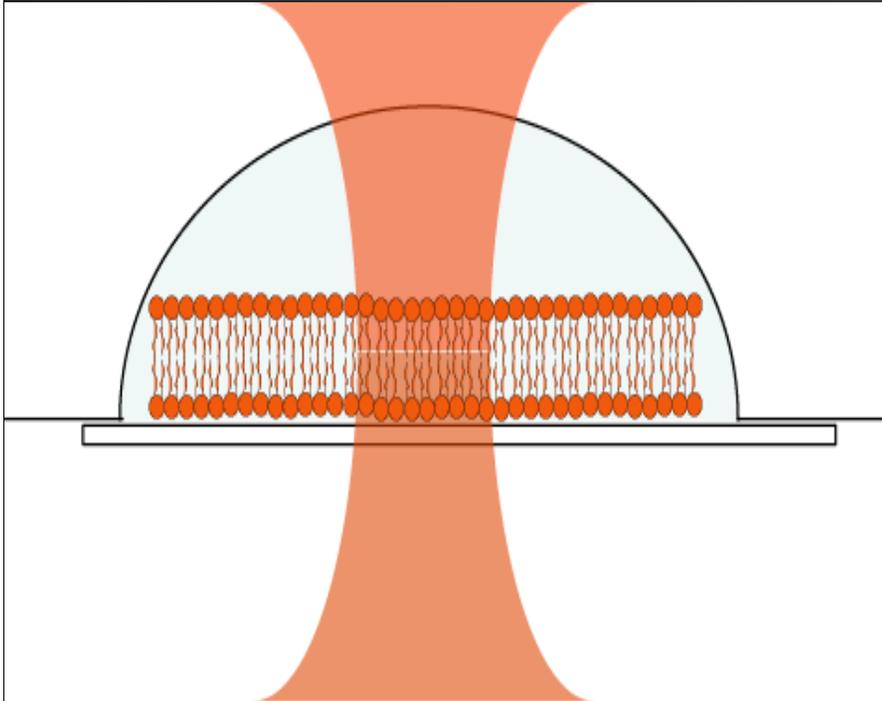
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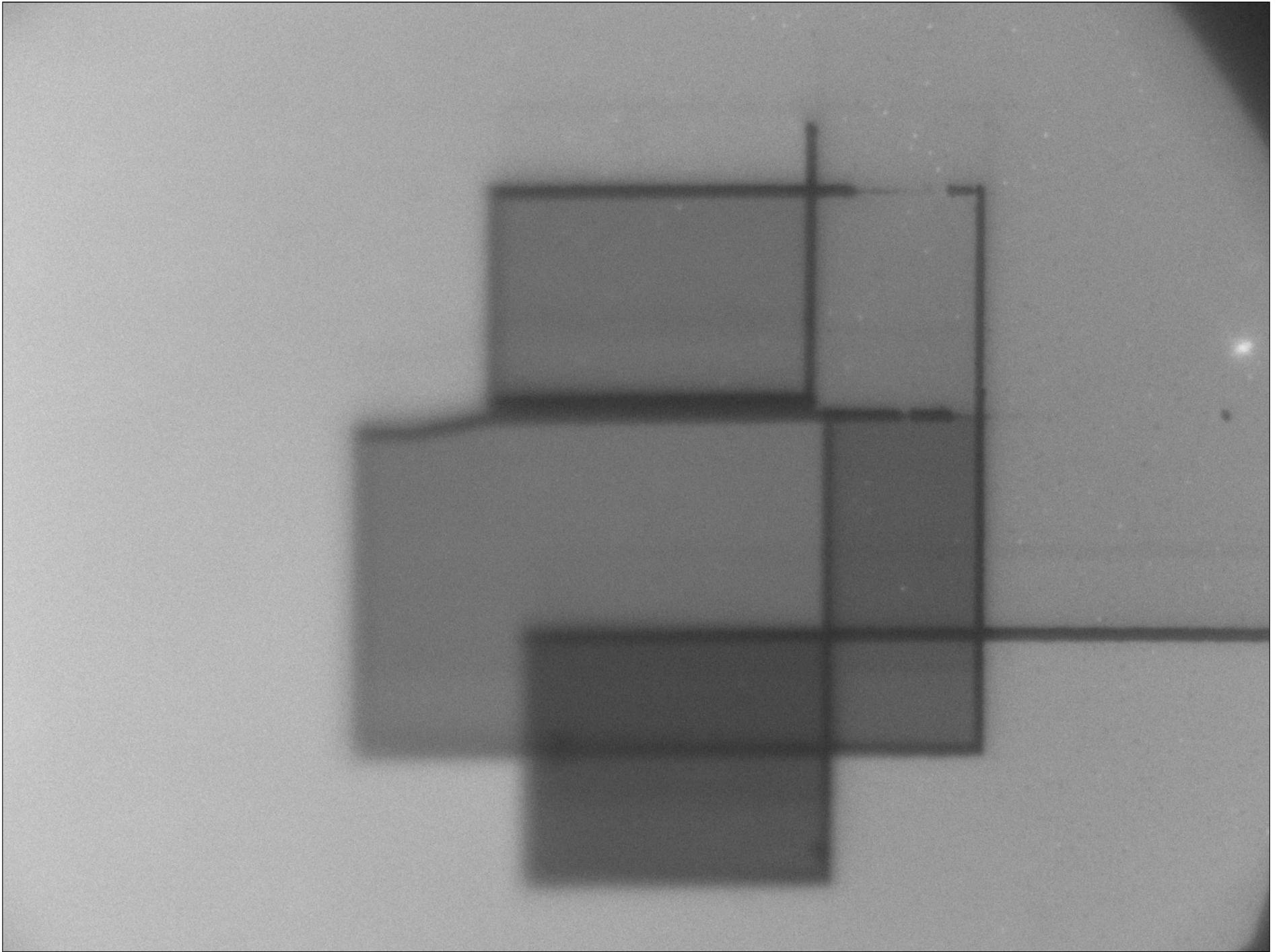
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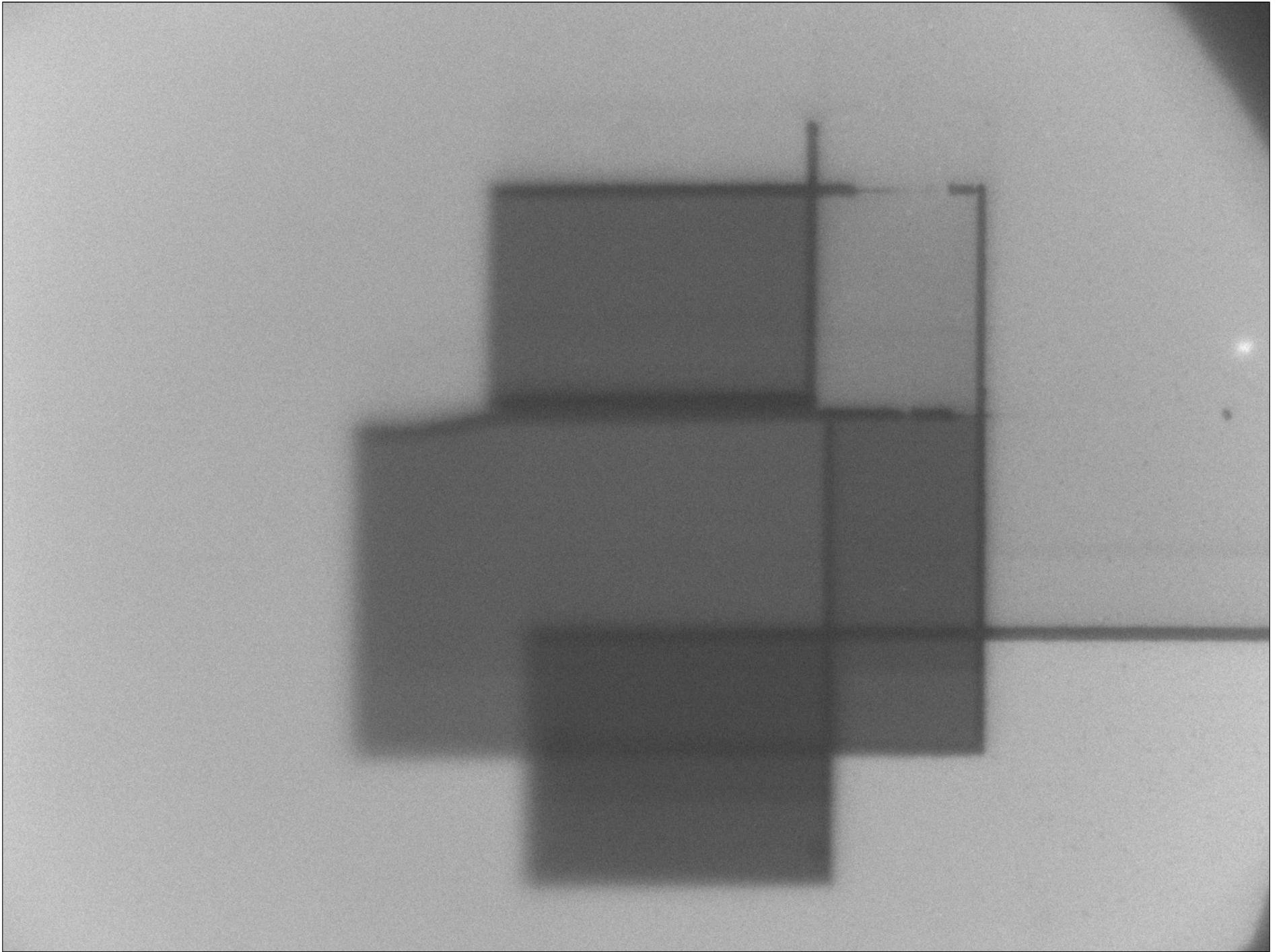
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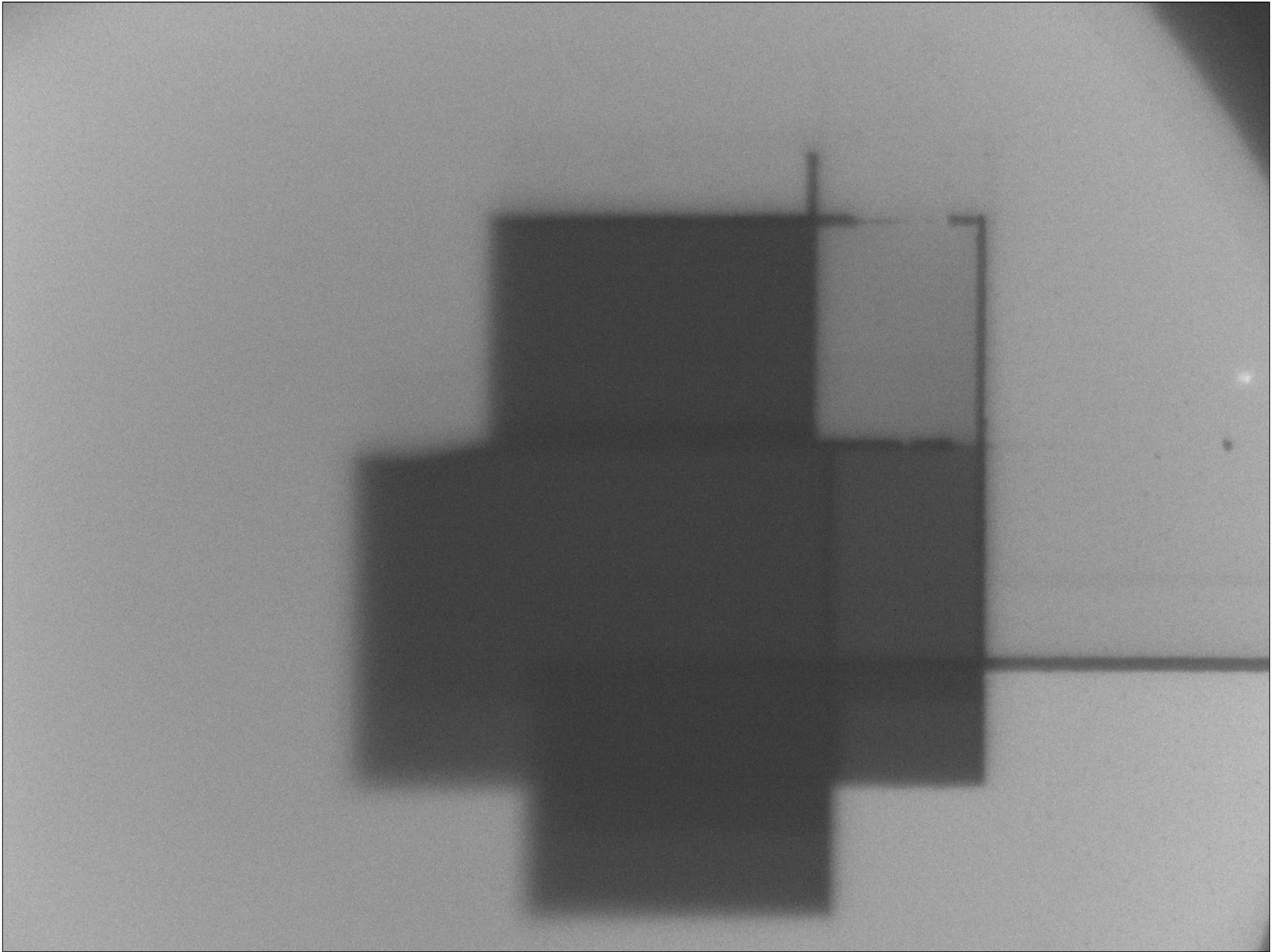


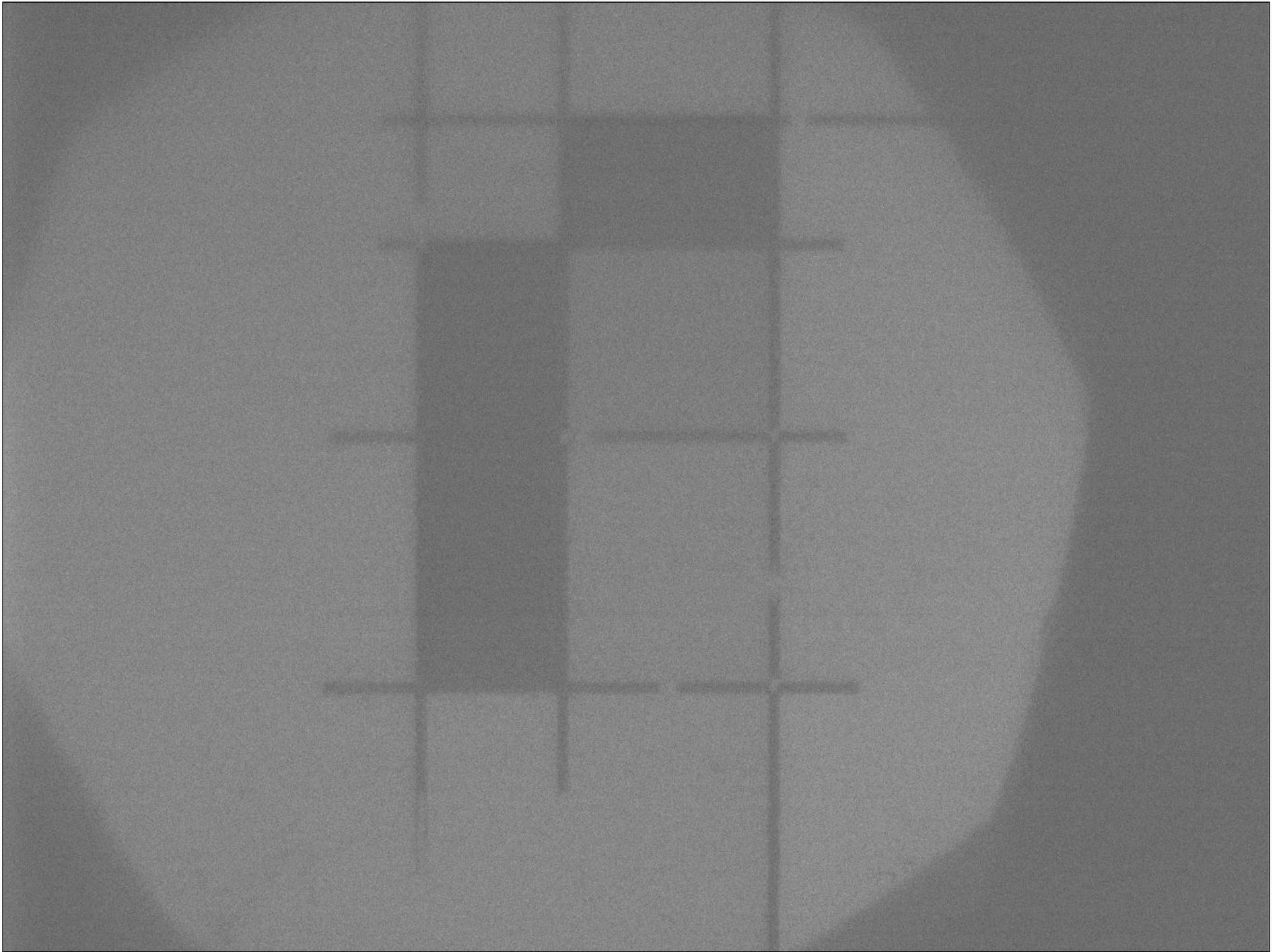
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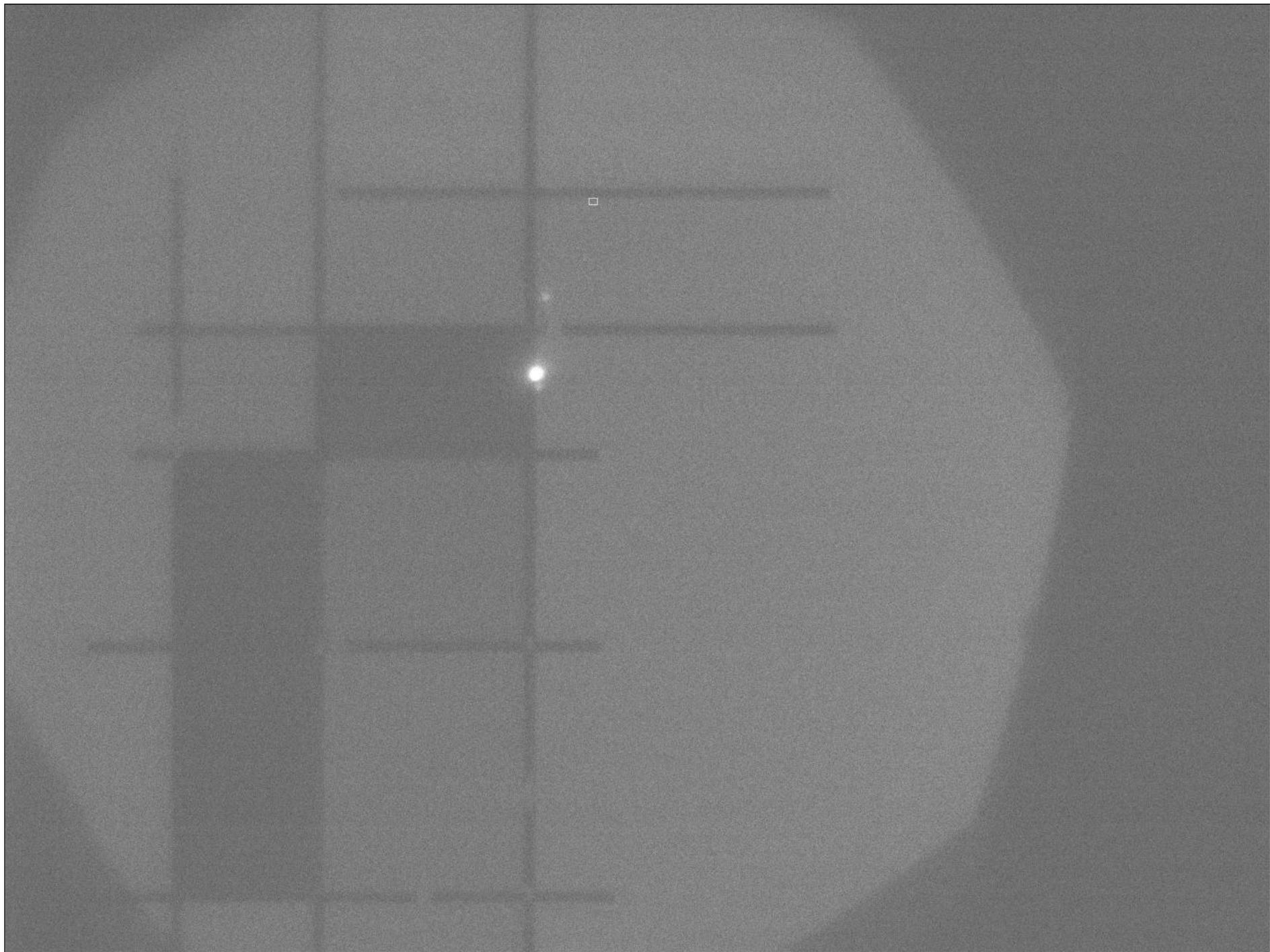


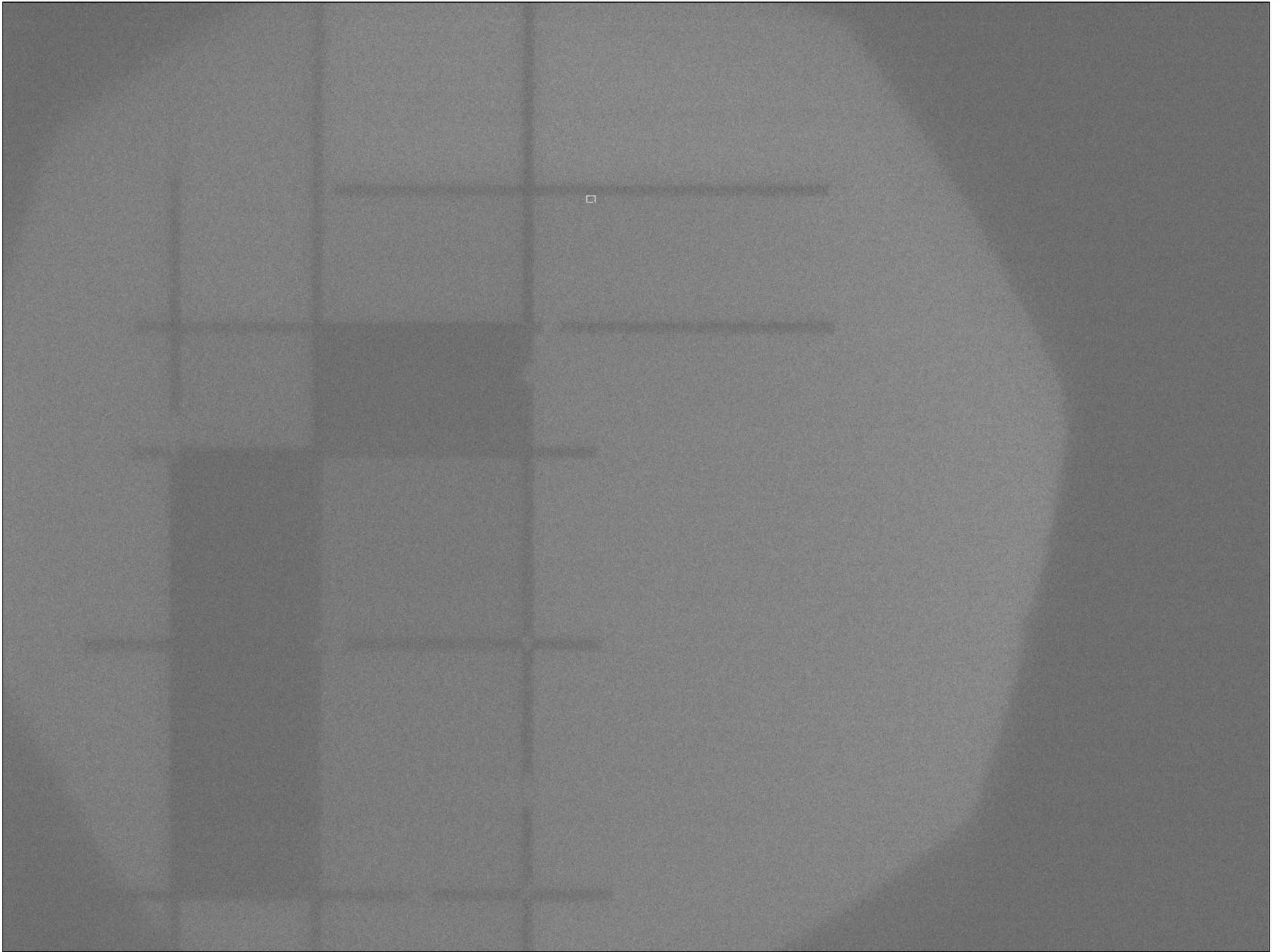


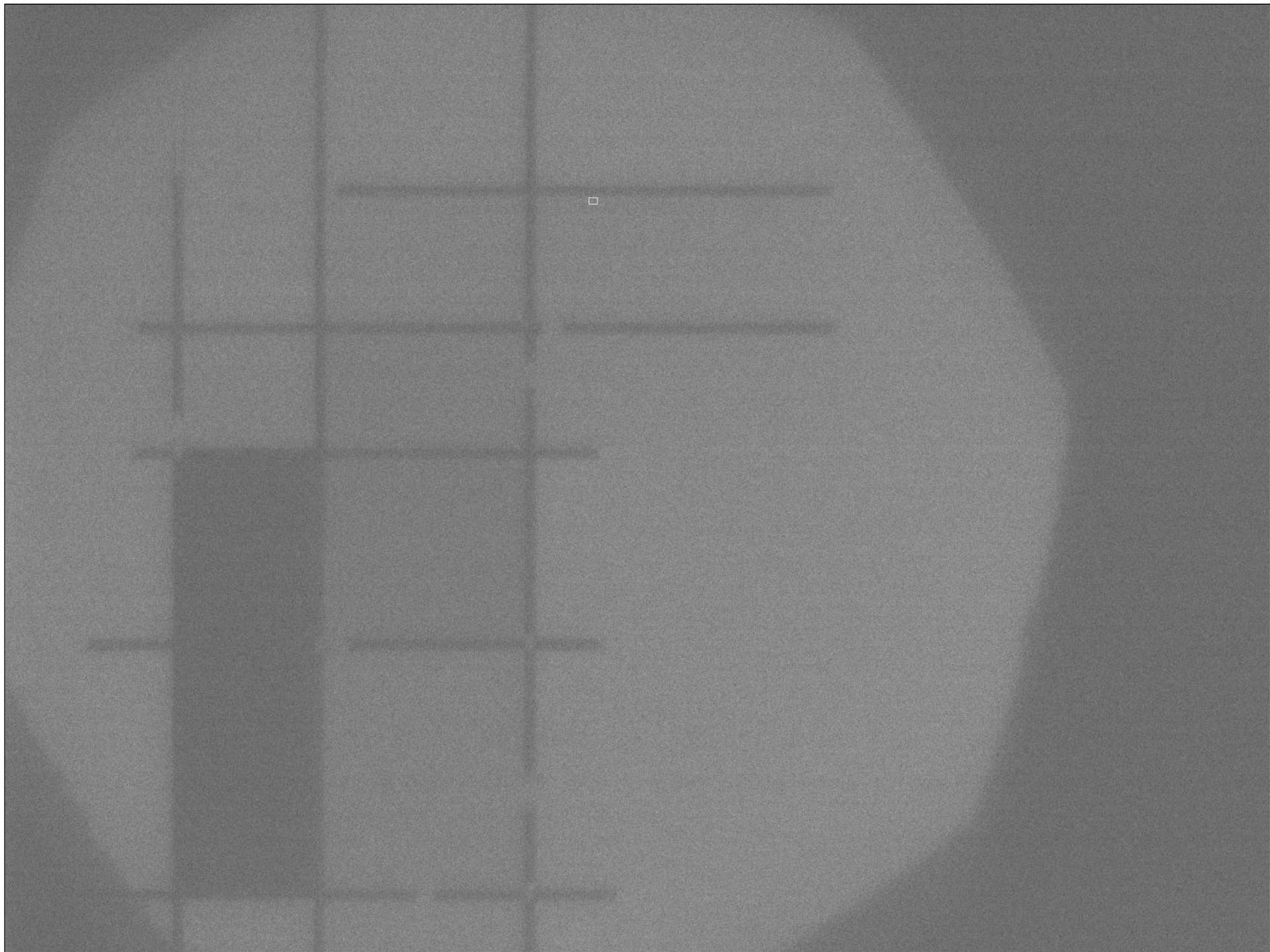




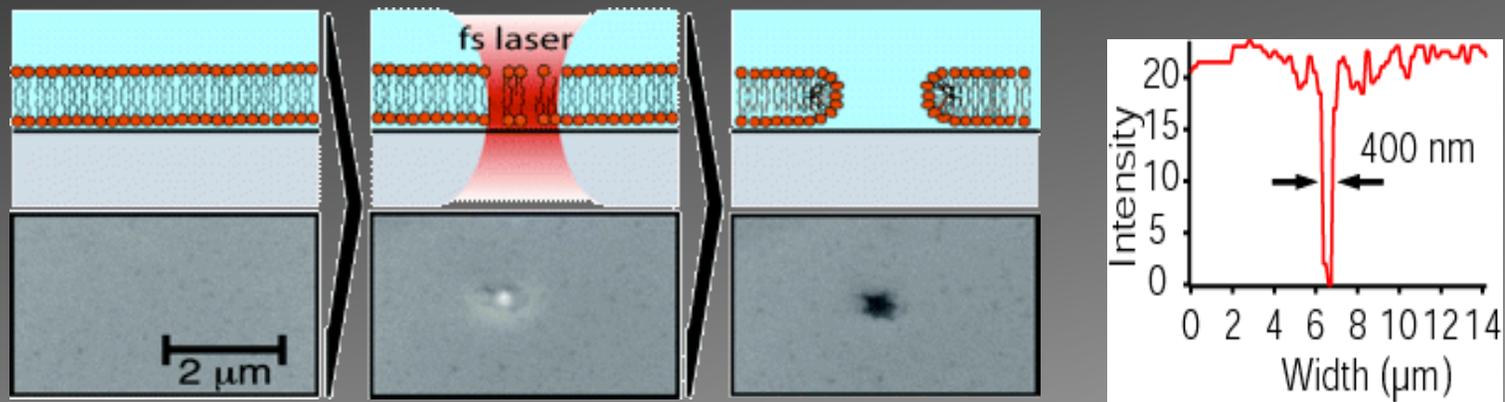






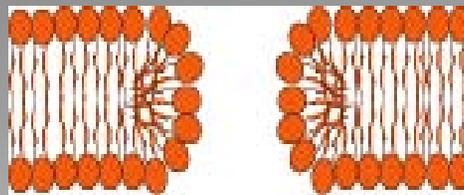


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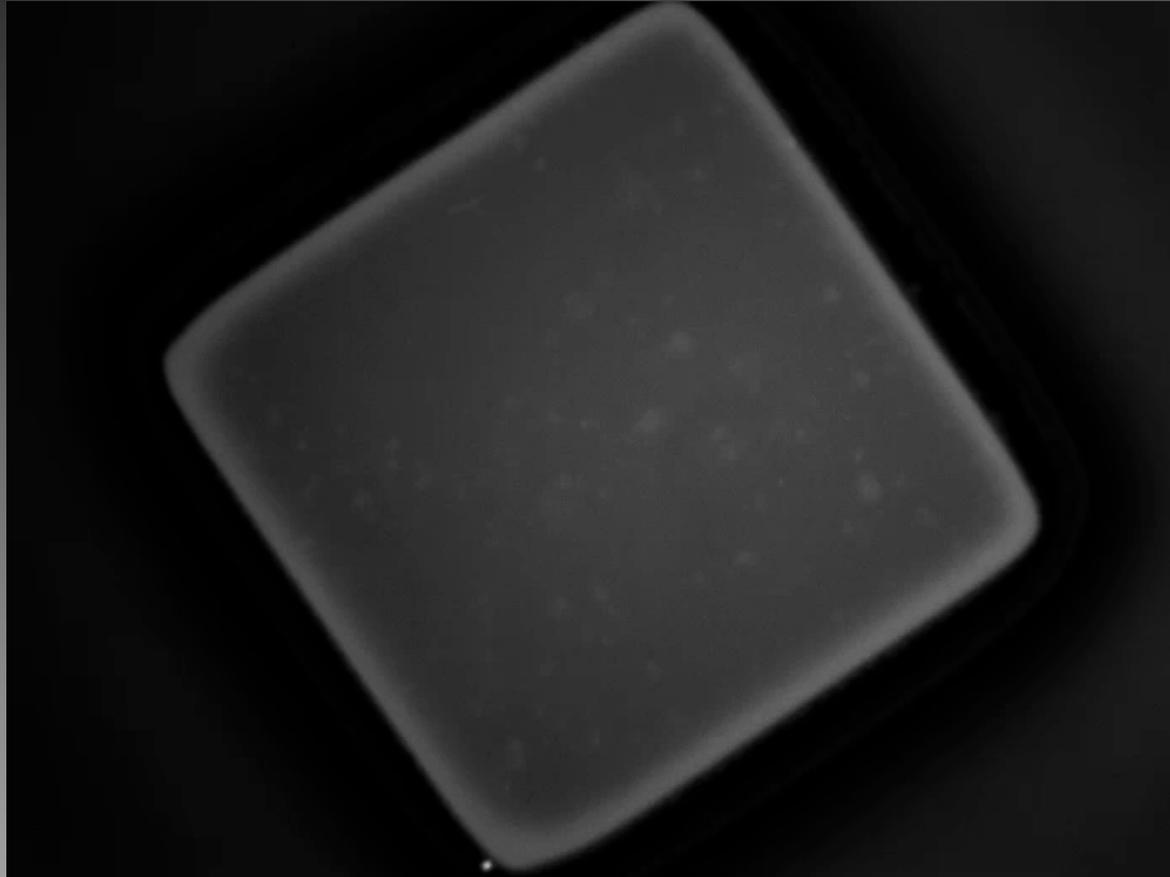


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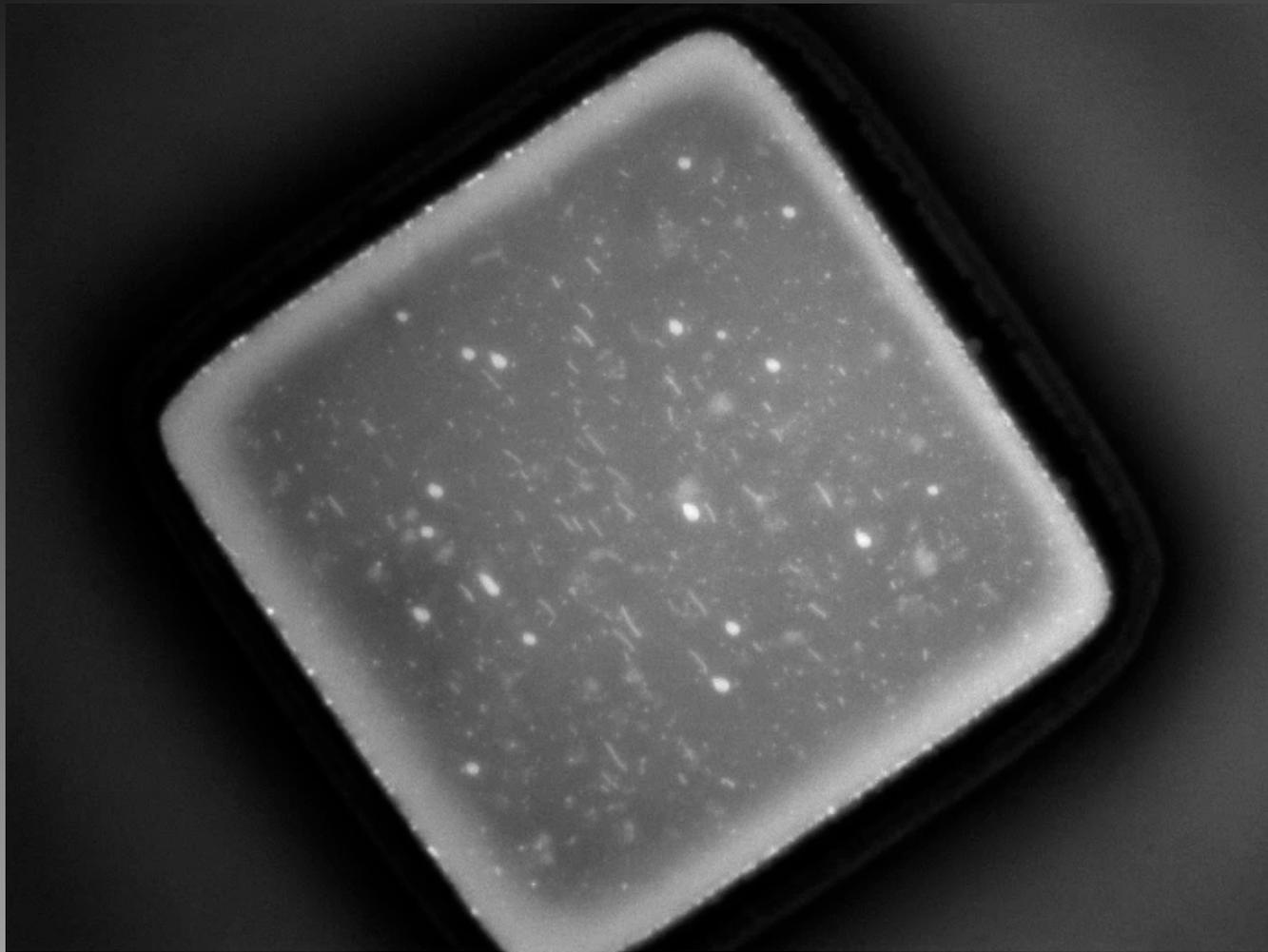
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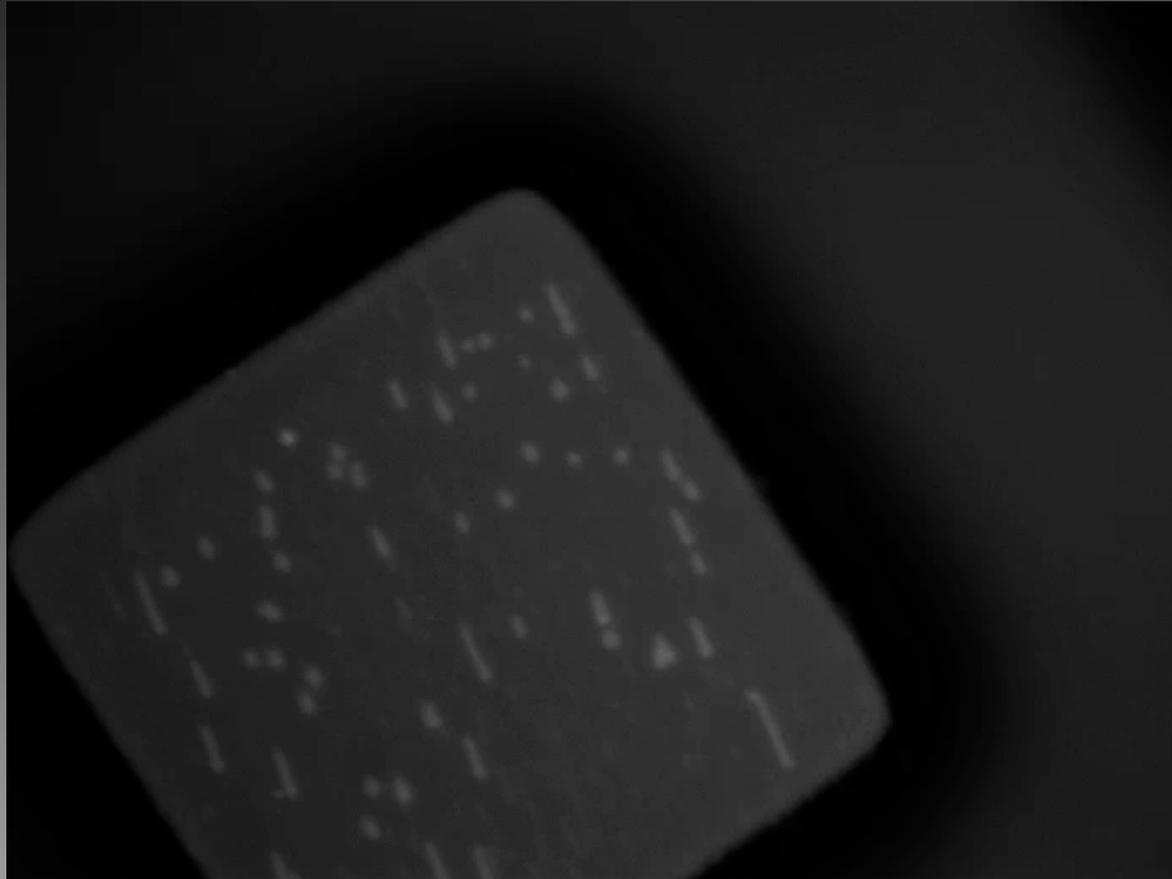
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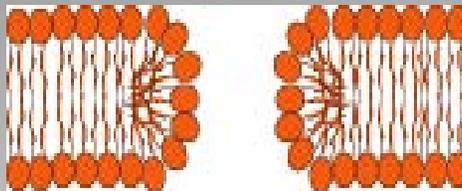
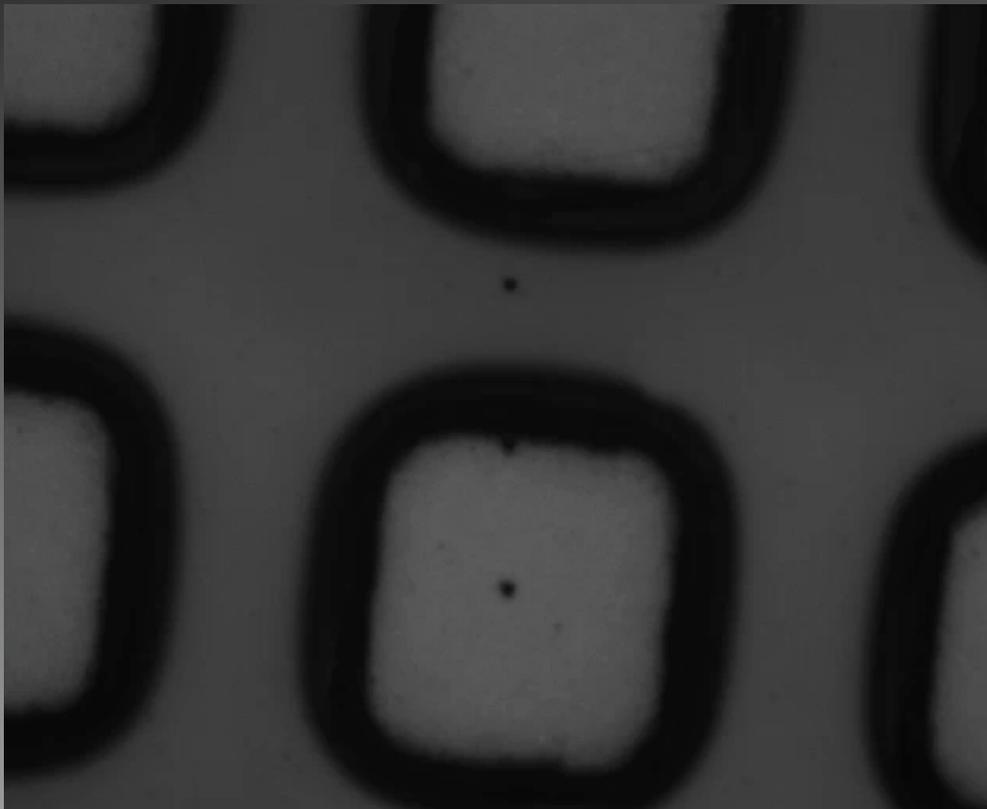


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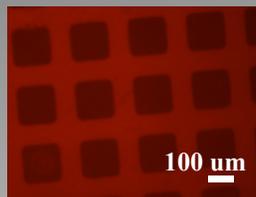
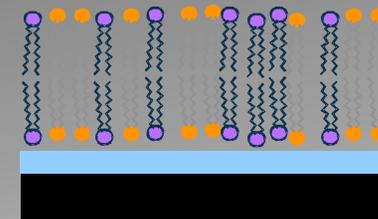
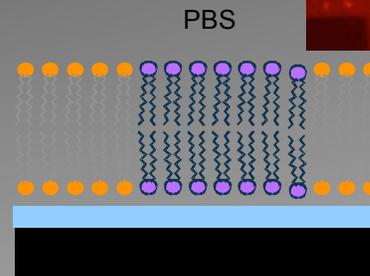
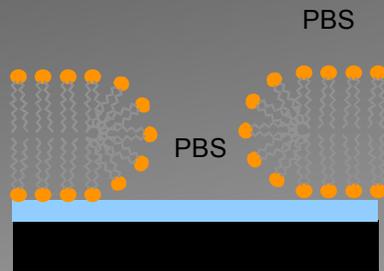
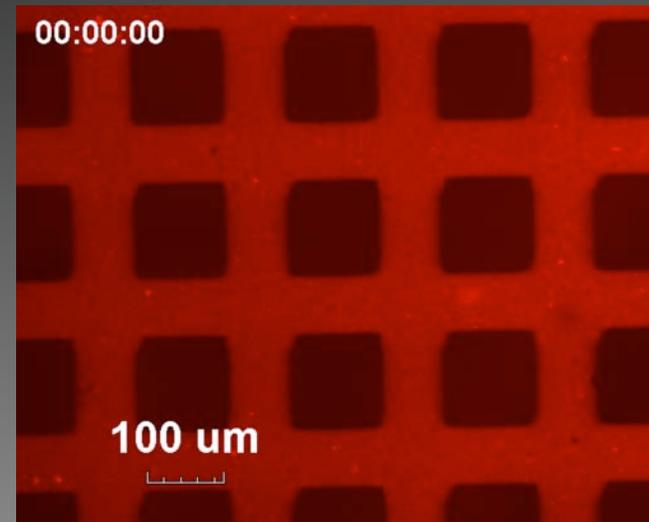
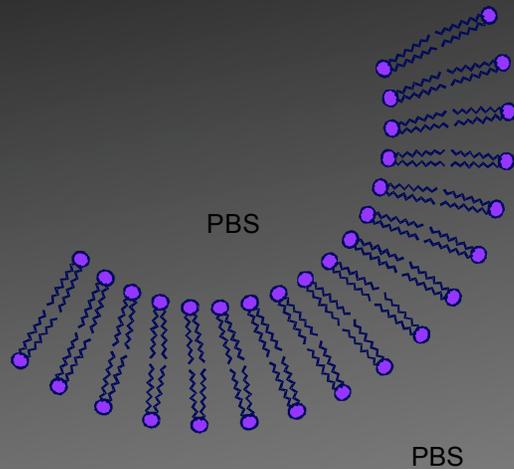
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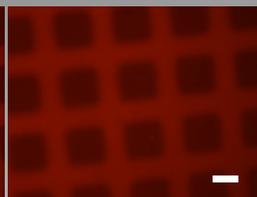
controlling compositions

studying lipid rafts?

Probing Membrane Heterogeneity and Dynamics using model bilayers



Before
Backfilling



T=0 min.



T=1 min.



T=5 min.



T=10 min.



T=20 min.

A Biophysical tool for Understanding Lipid heterogeneity



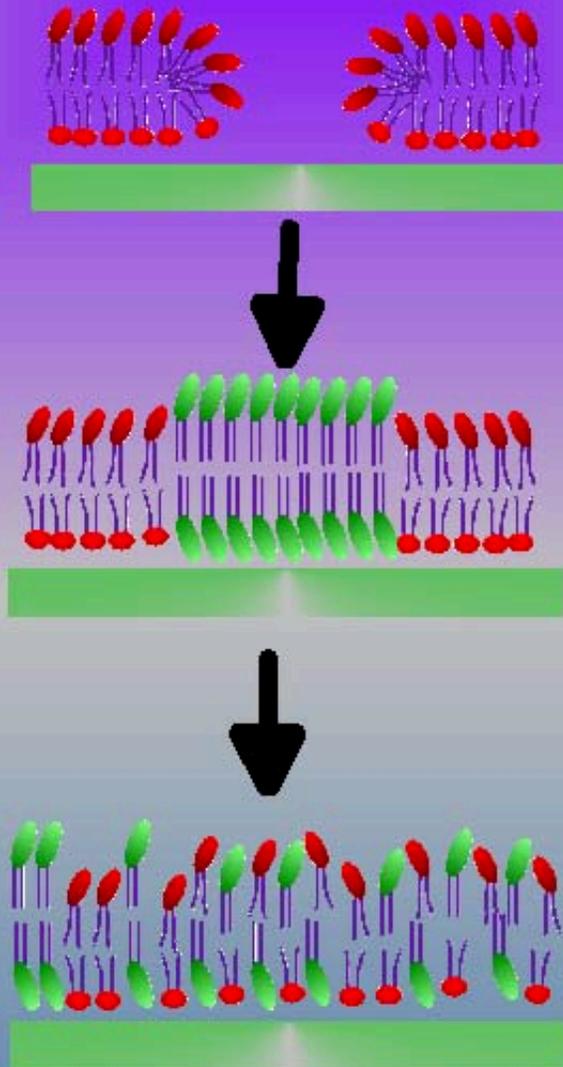
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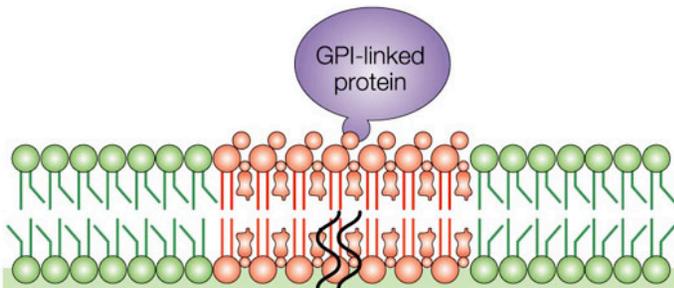


Lipid-lipid interdiffusion,
compositional manipulation
Phase dynamics and stability
Engineering arrested diffusion

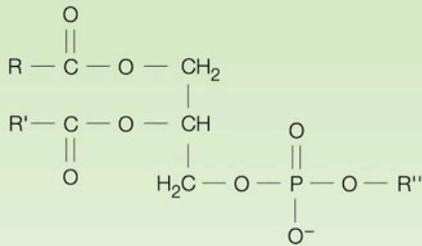


Kinetically and chemically arrested
Mixing for functional patterning

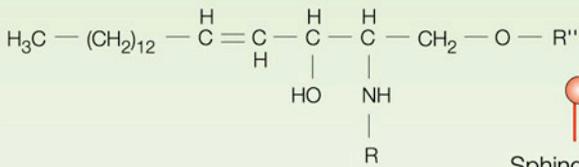




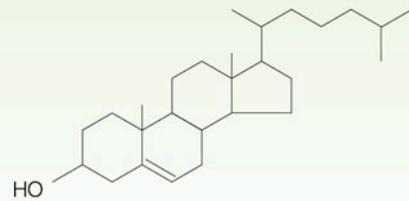
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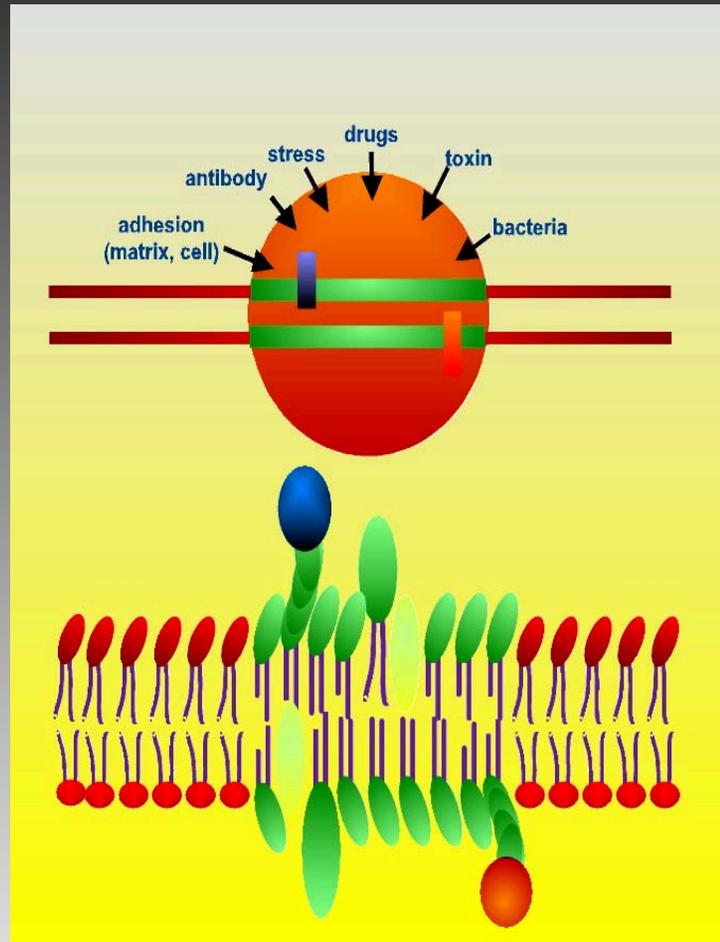
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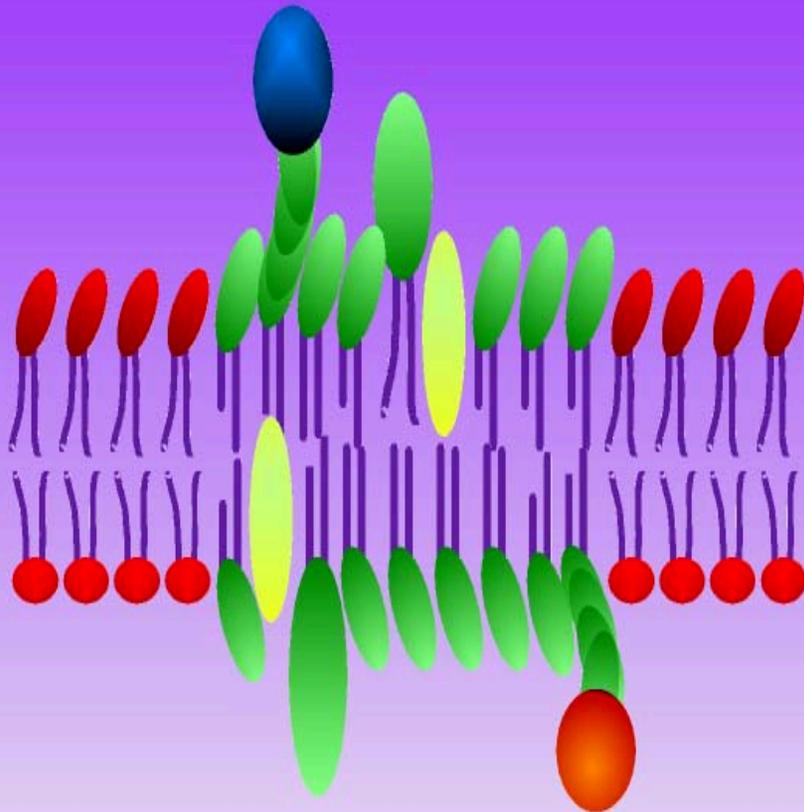
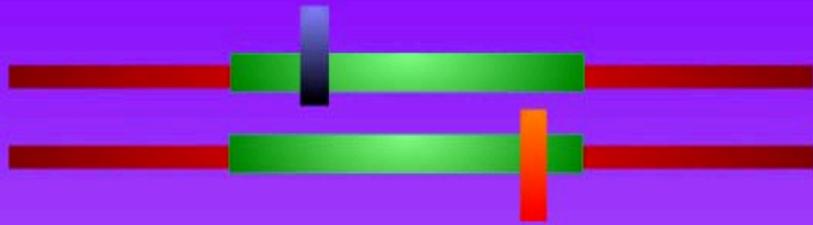


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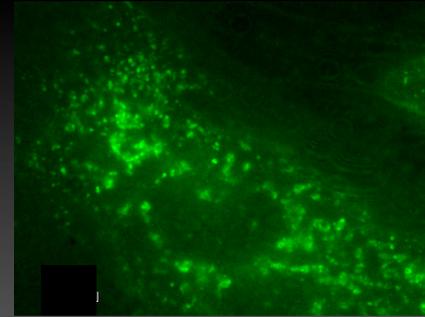


R, R', Hydrocarbon chains of fatty acids
 R'', Head group
 GPI, glycosylphosphatidyl inositol

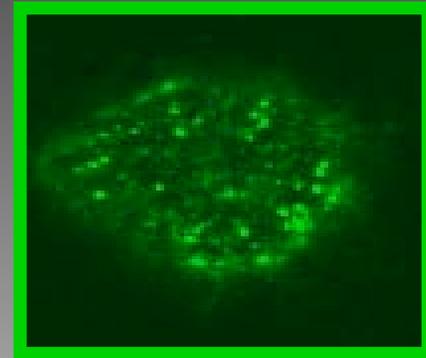




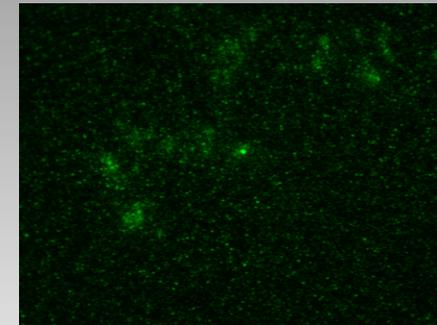
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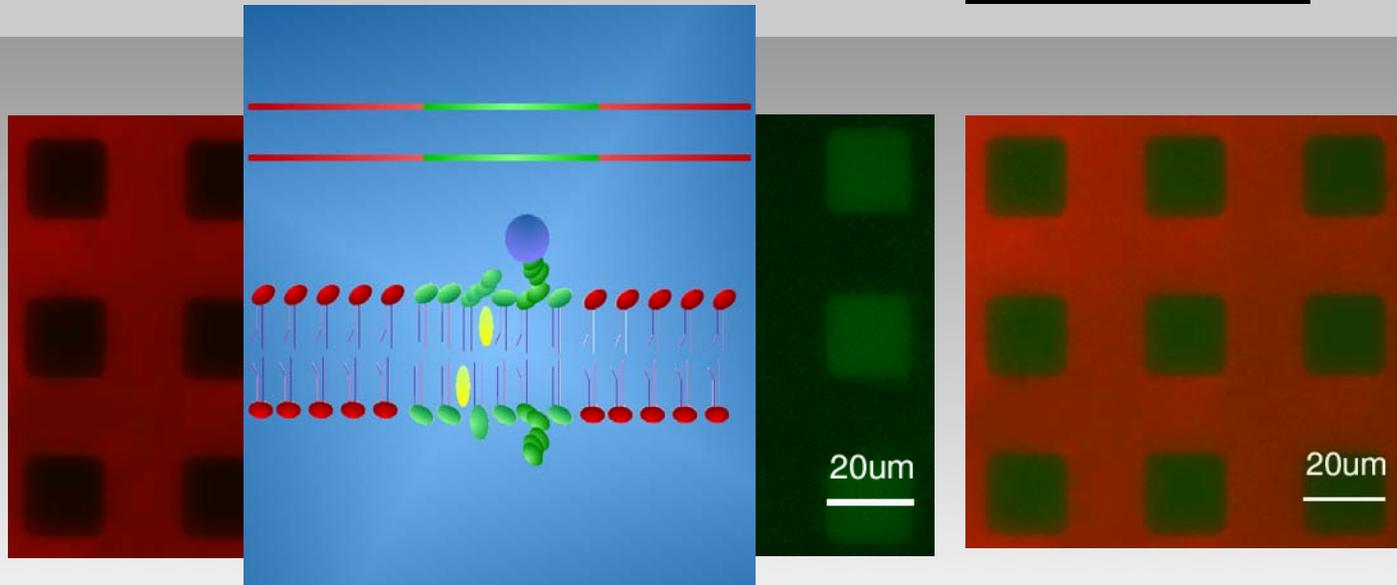
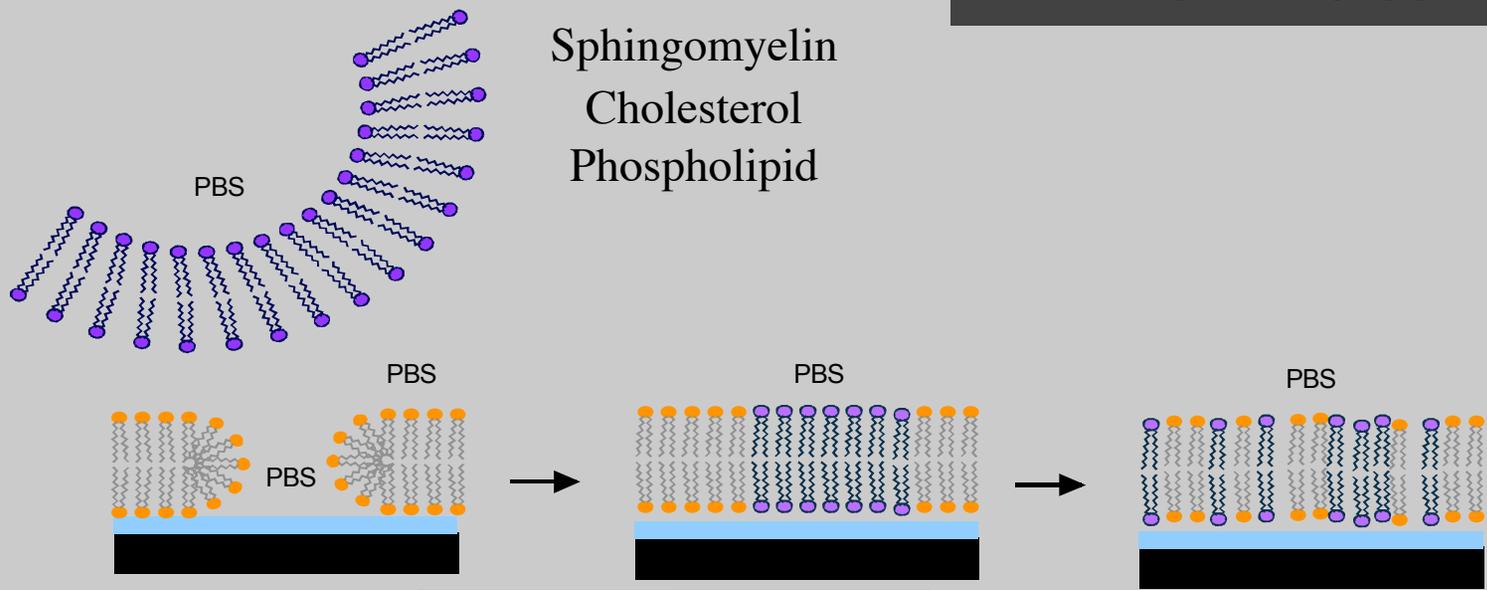
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Bilayers
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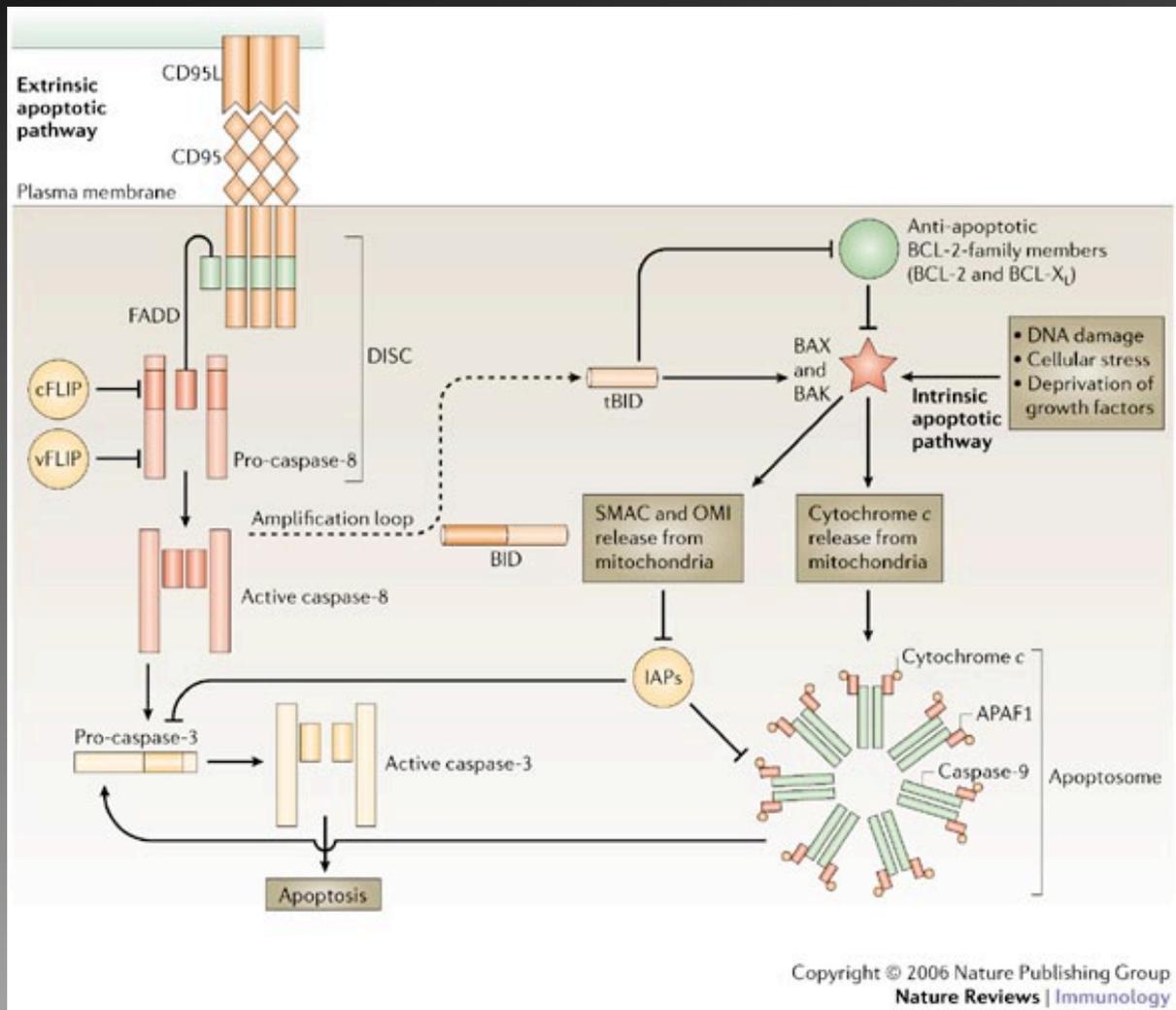


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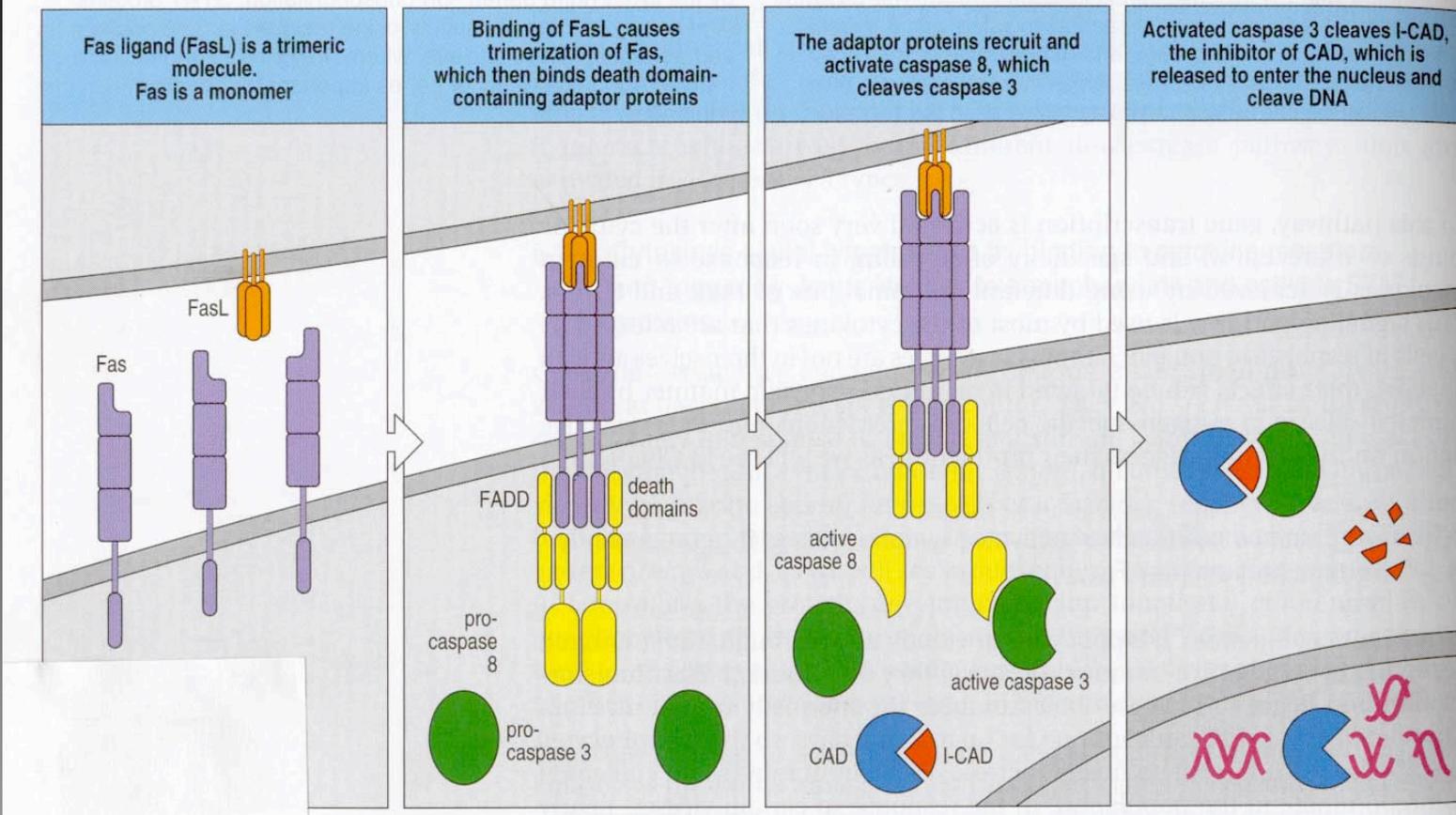


functional dynamics at cellular surfaces

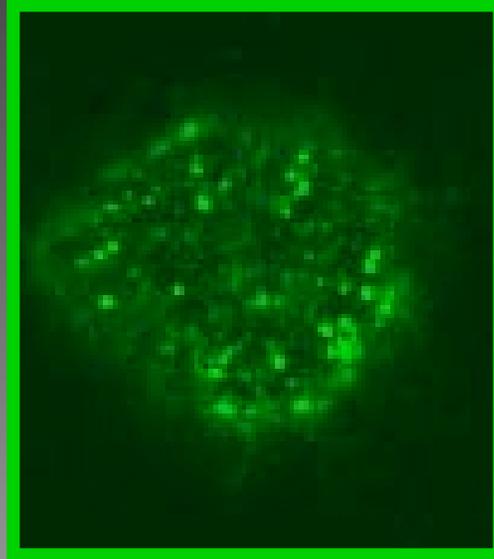
Cellular apoptosis



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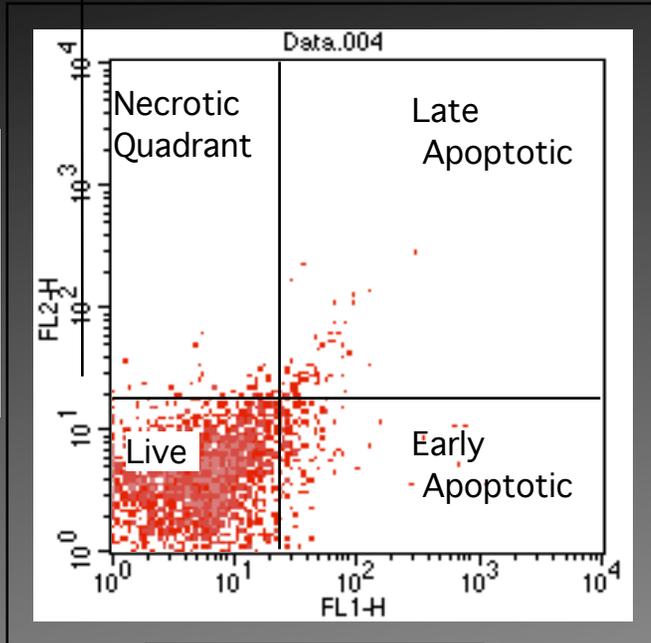


Lincoln, Boling, Parikh, Yeh, Gilchrist, Morse IOVS, 2006

uninduced

A

Propidium Iodide



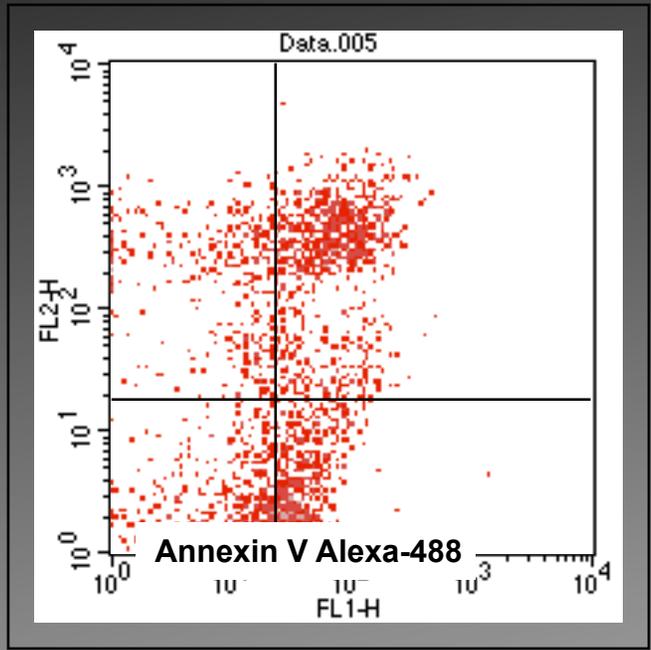
Annexin V Alexa-488

Cell State	% of gated
Live	92.54%
Early Apoptotic	3.99%
Necrotic/Late Apoptotic	3.46%

Induced

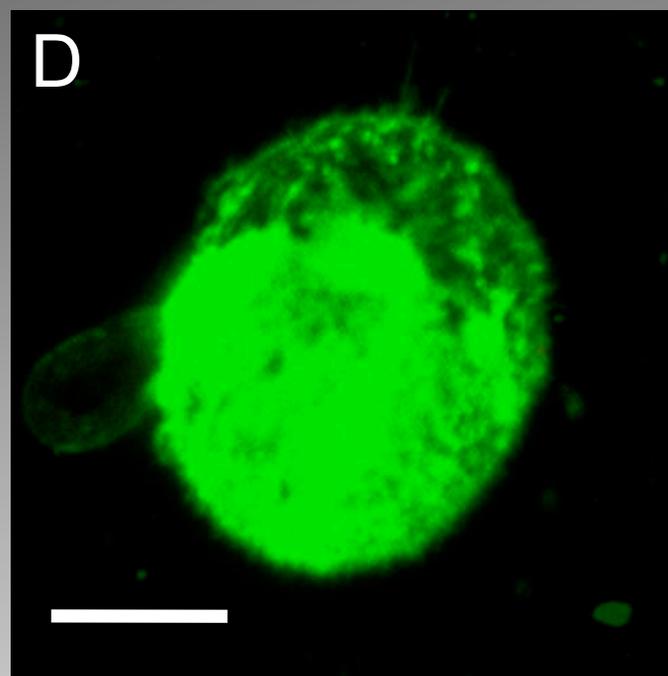
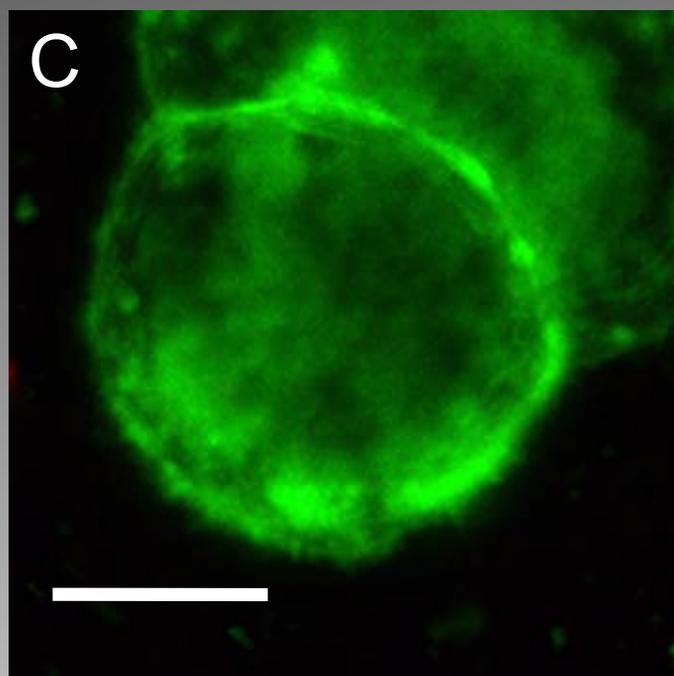
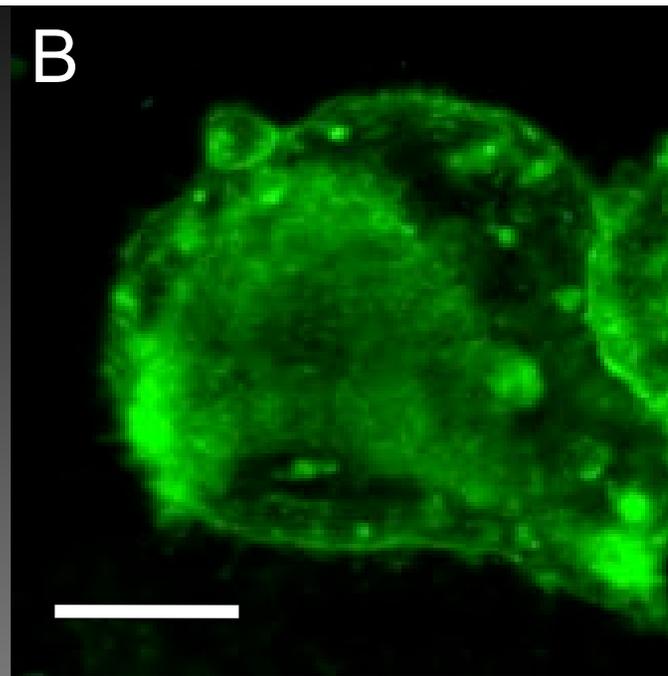
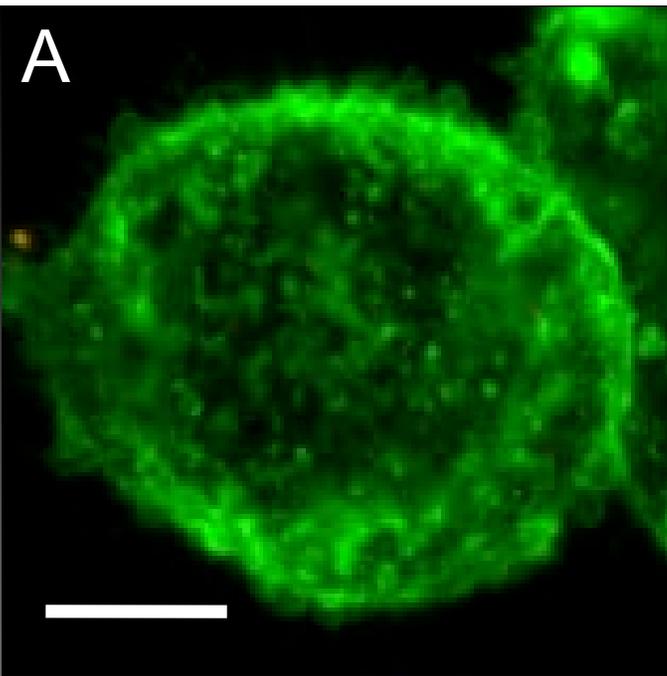
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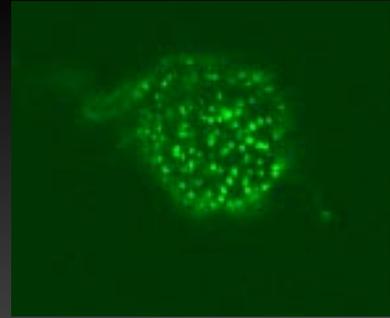
Cell State	% of gated
Live	24.60%
Early Apoptotic	22.74%
Necrotic/Late Apoptotic	52.66%

5ng/mL Fas ligand for 24 hrs

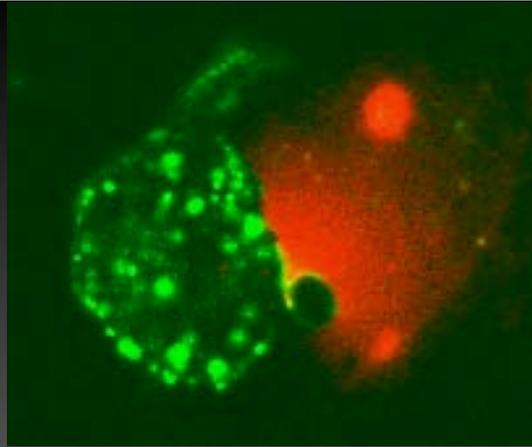


Tert-butyl hydroperoxide

Chemical AIF

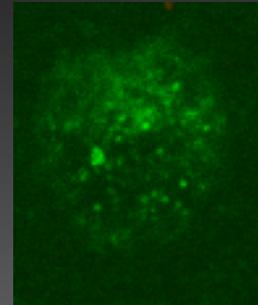


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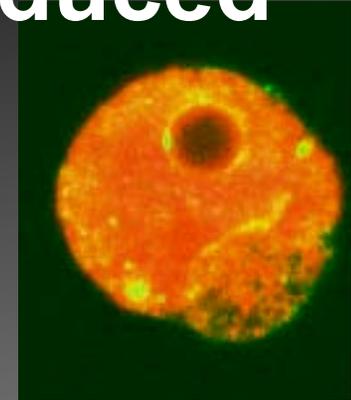


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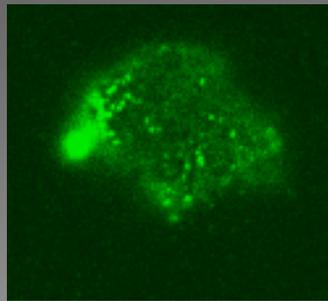
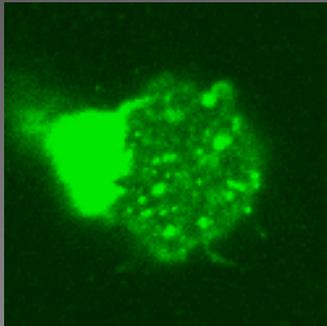


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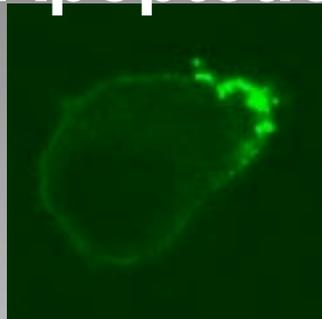
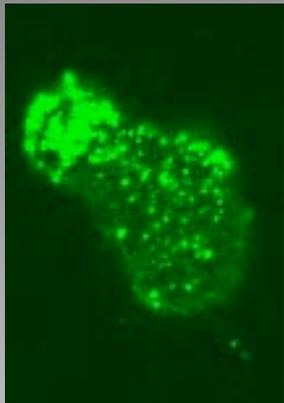


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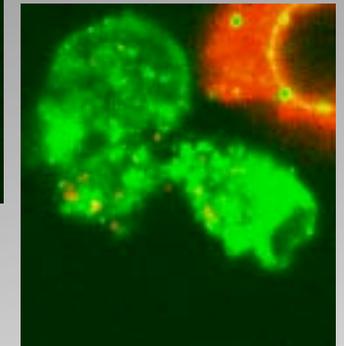
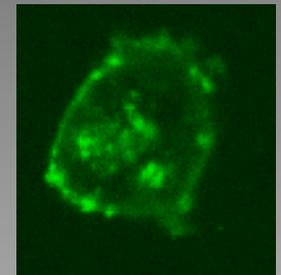
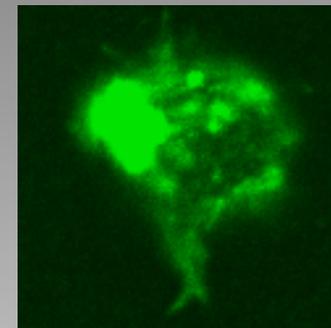
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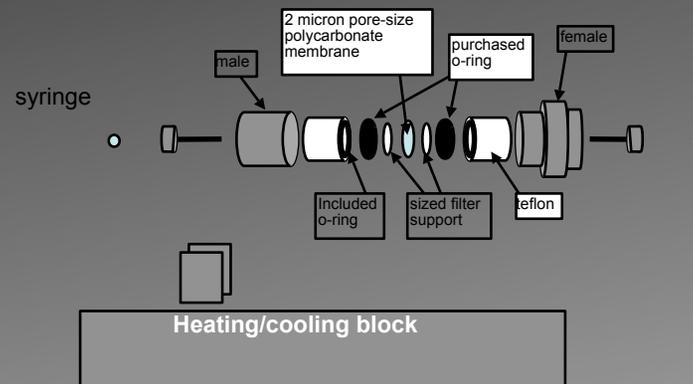
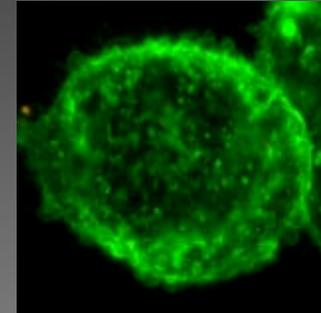


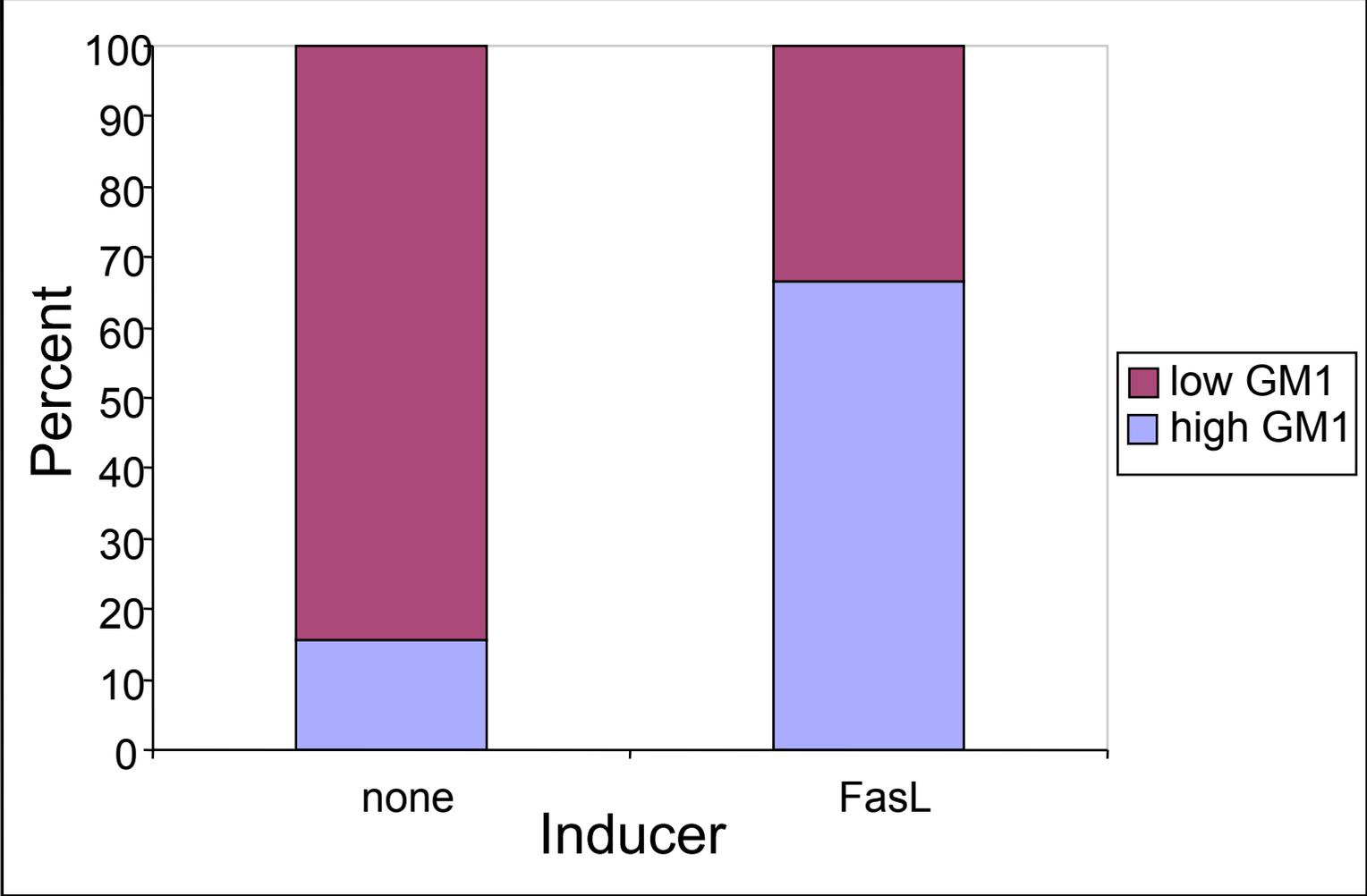
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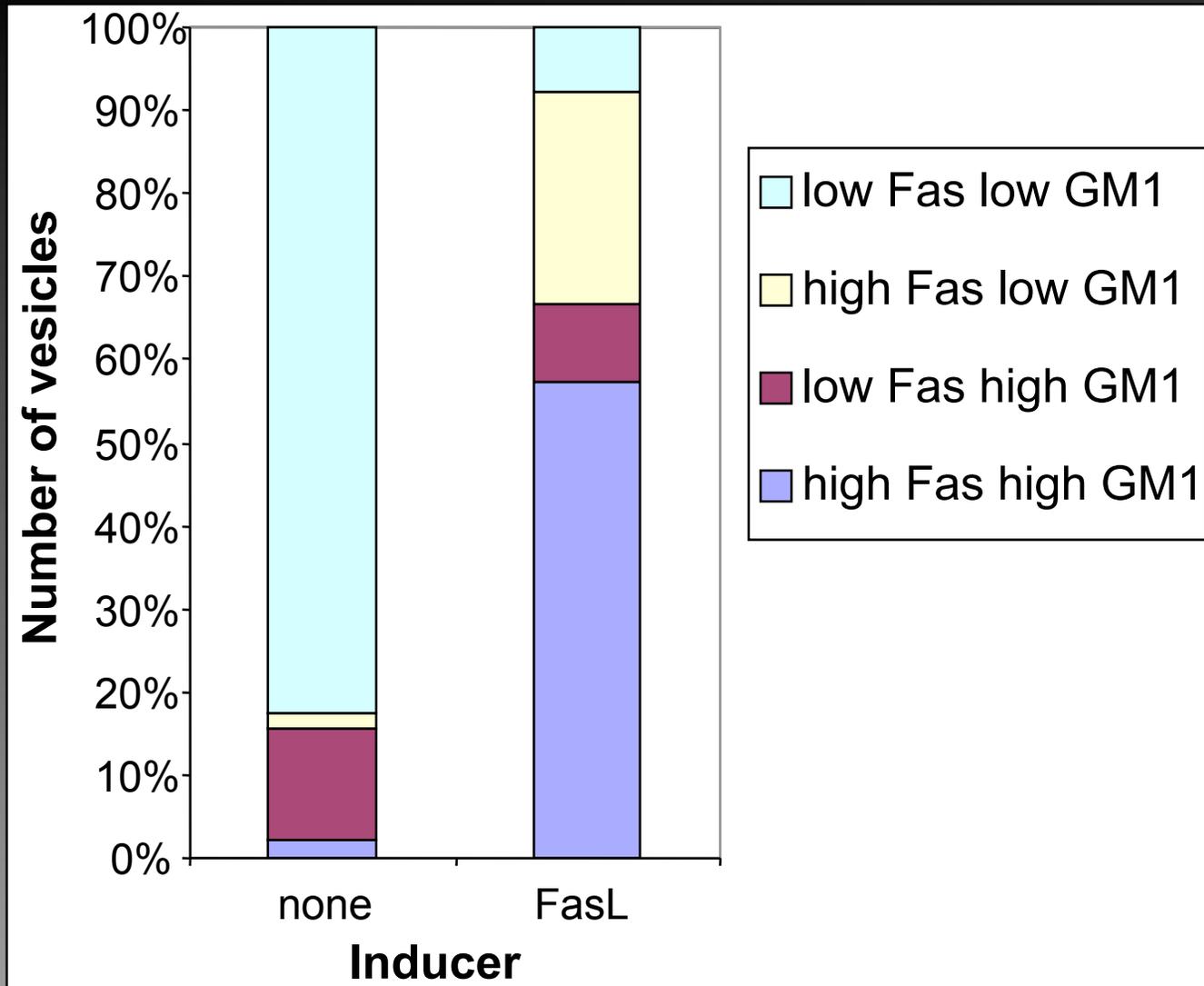
Cellular apoptosis

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RPE
HL-60

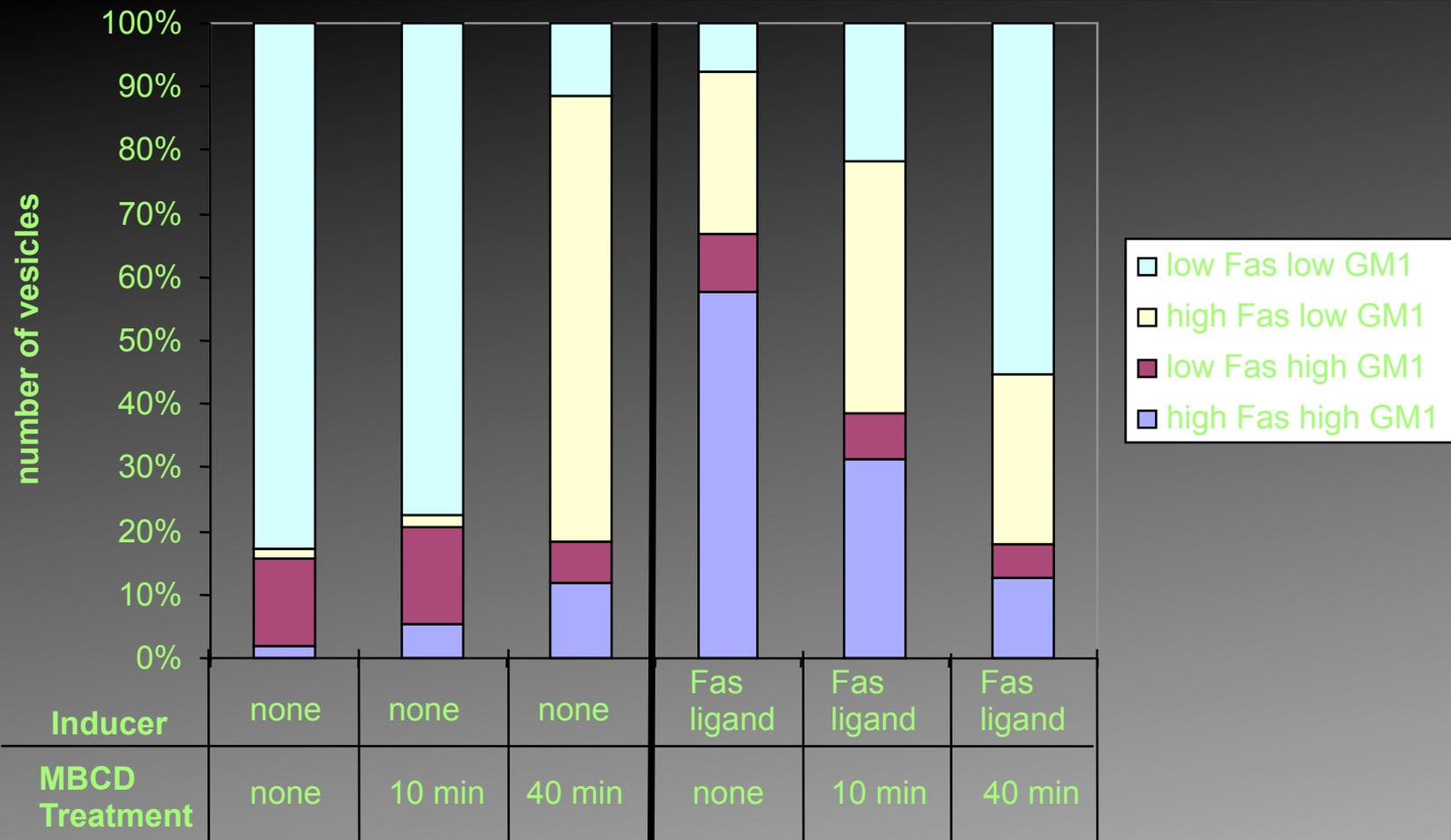
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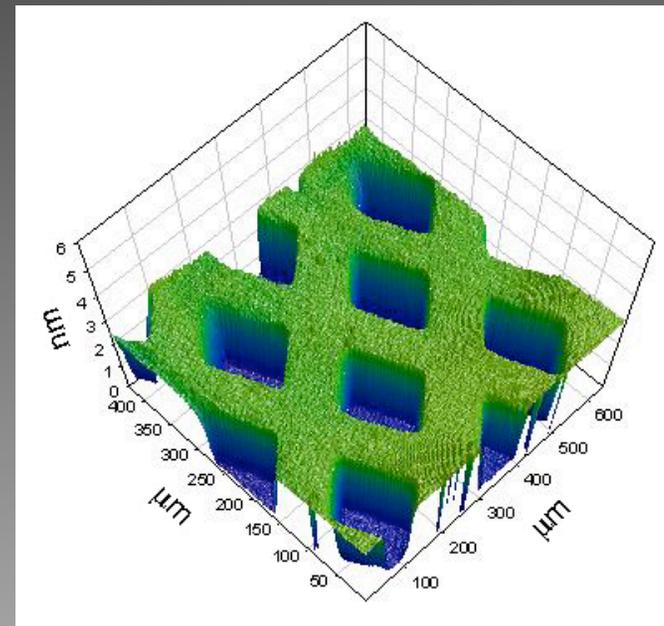
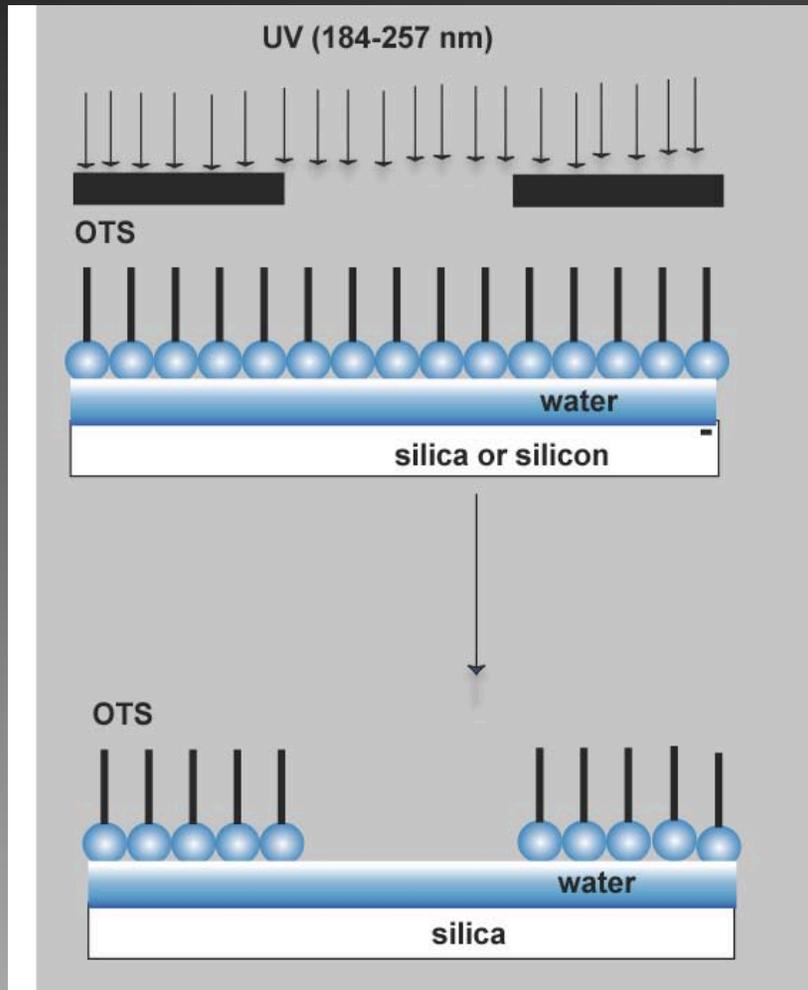
Fas receptor proteins are recruited to raft microenvironments following induction of apoptosis.

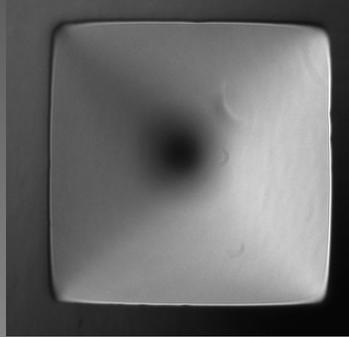


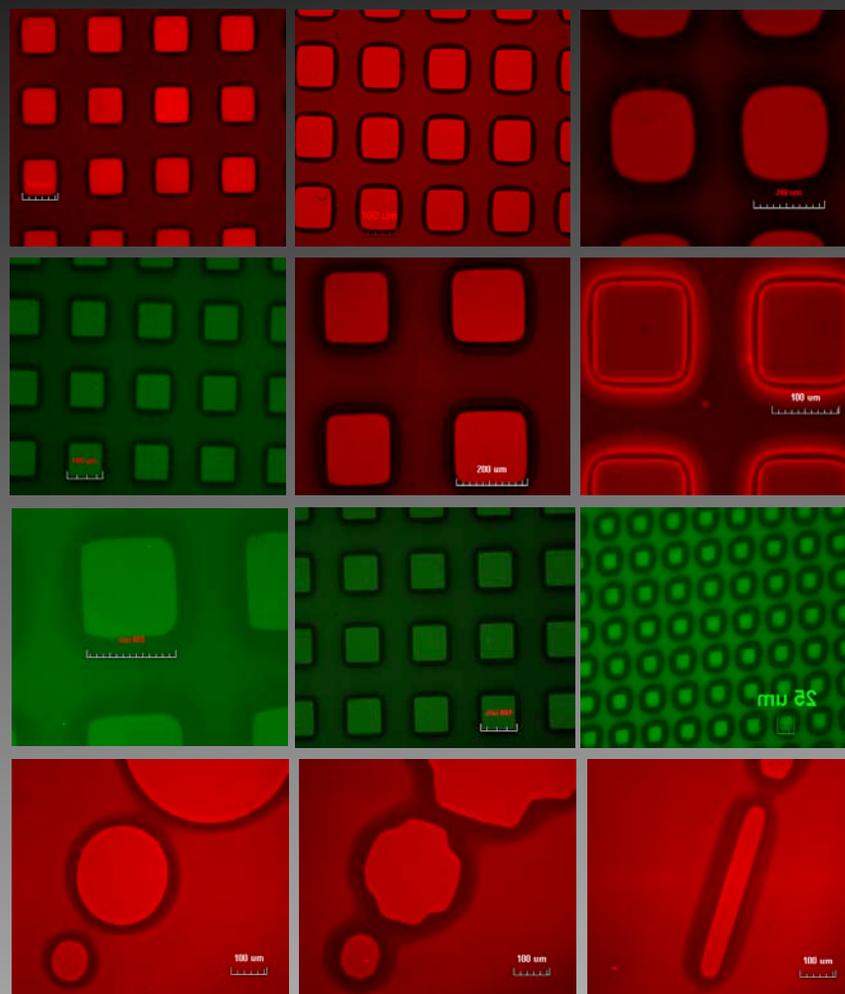
Raft formation is inhibited by depletion of cholesterol from RPE cell membranes.

Templating membranes Using Structured Surfaces

Surface energy patterns Using Self-Assembled Monolayers







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DMPC
POPC

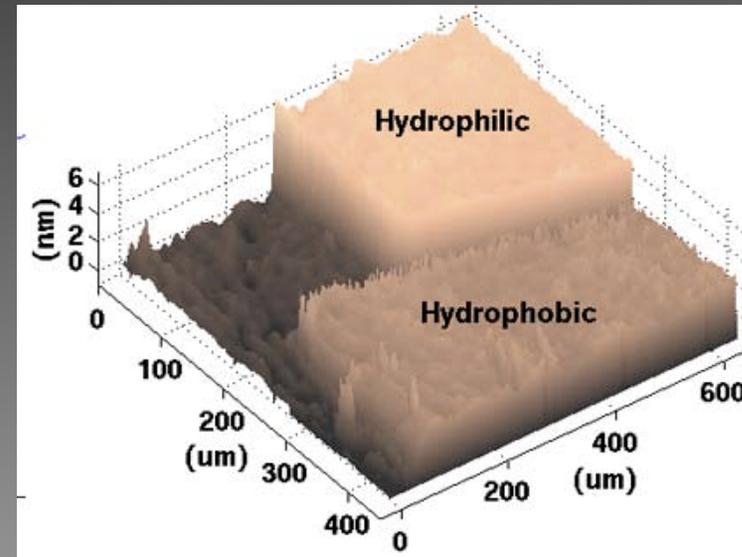
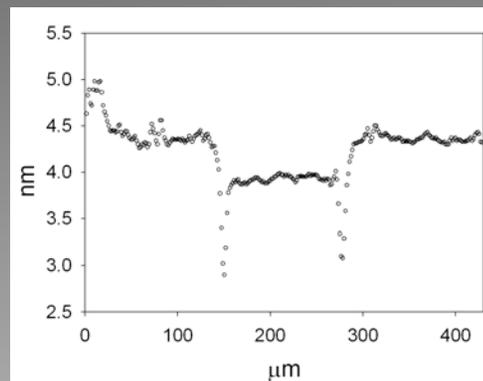
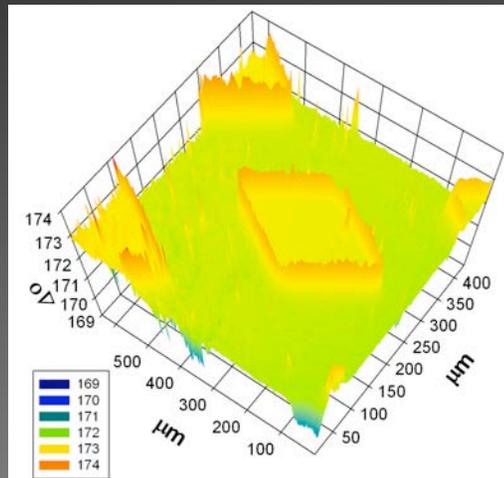
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Rhodamine
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size

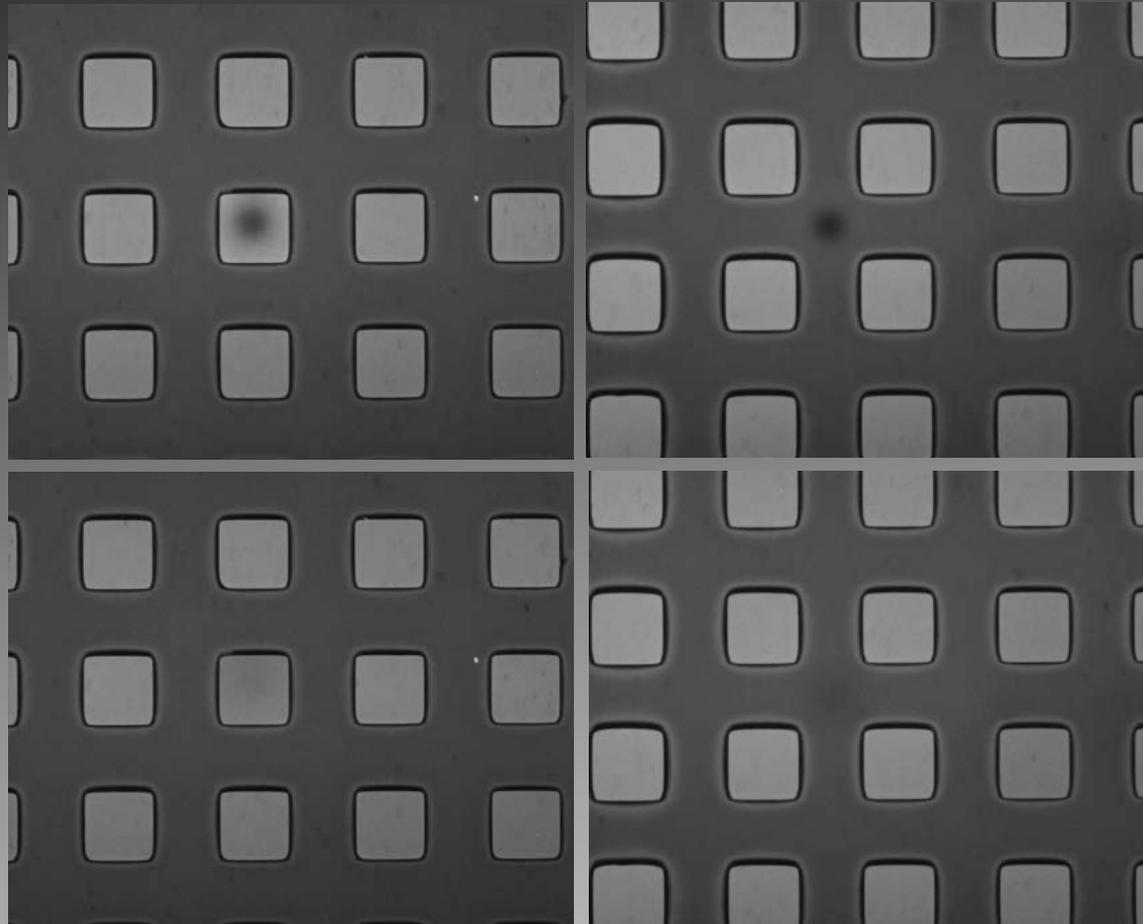
shape

(Howland, Butti, Dattelbaum, Shreve, Parikh, J. Amer. Chem. Soc. 2005)

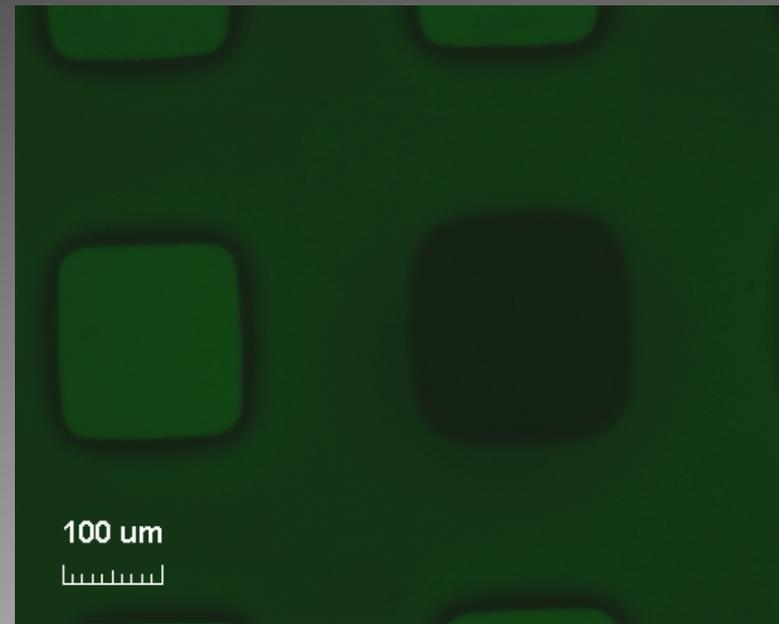
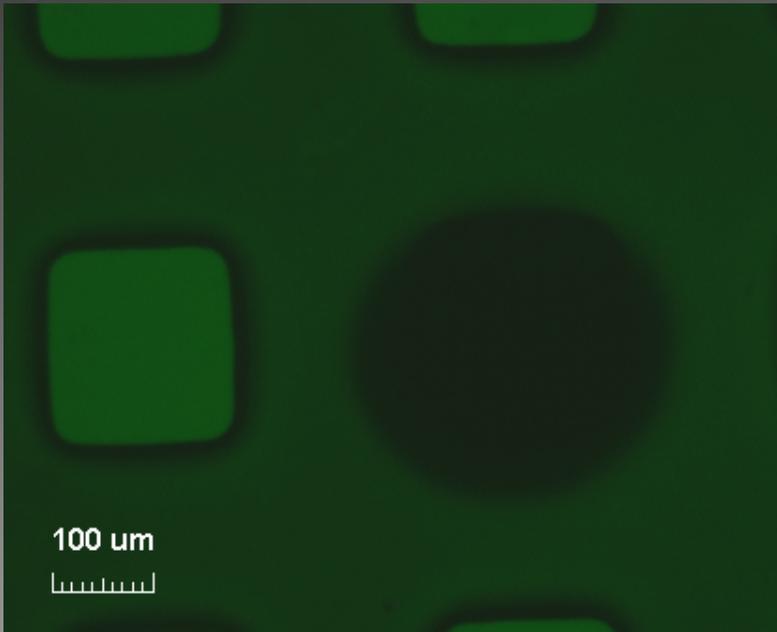
Imaging Ellipsometry confirms single monolayer and Bilayer formation



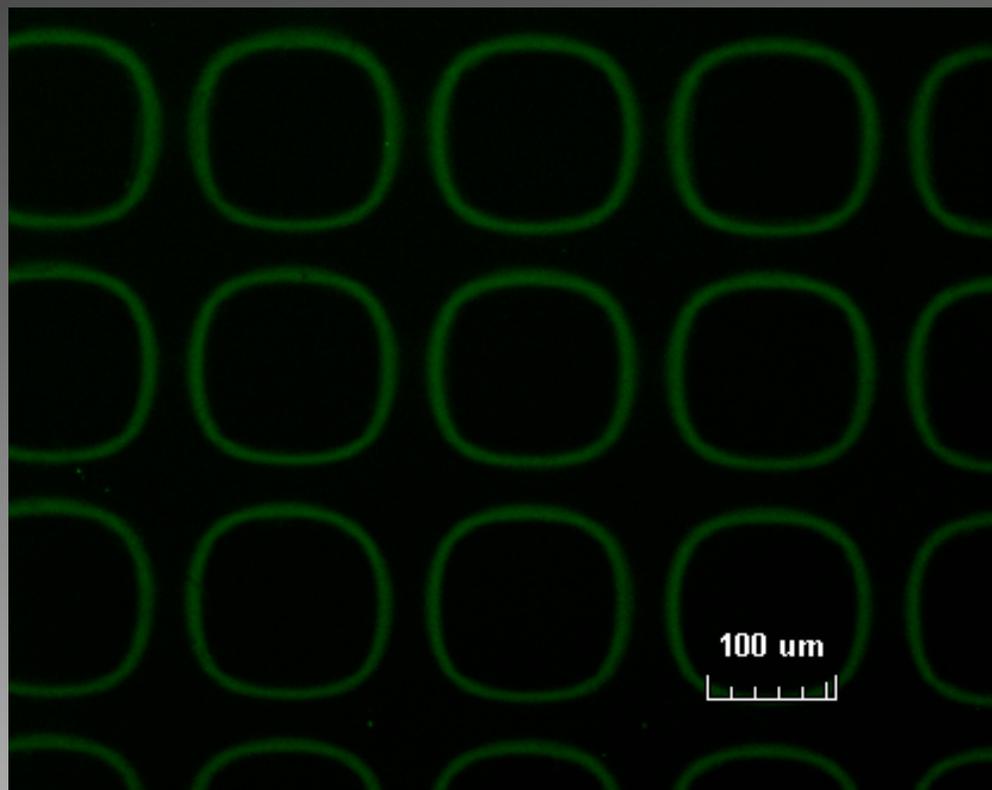
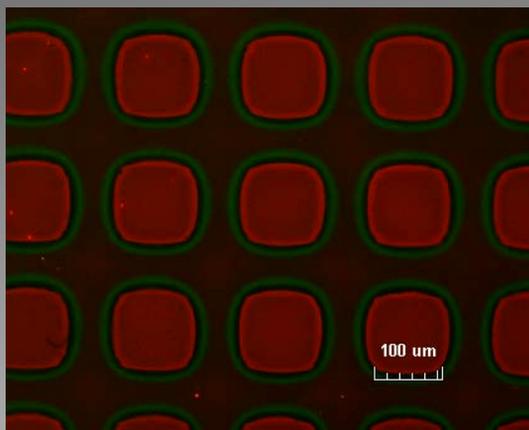
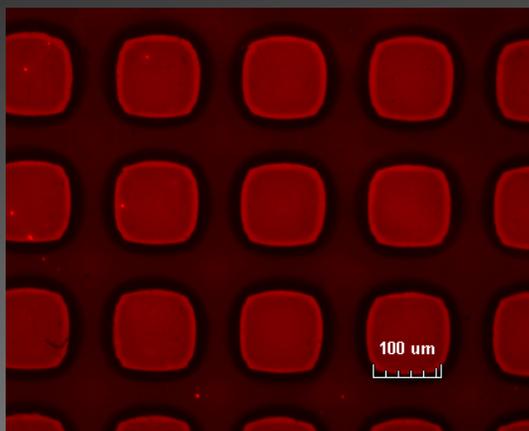
Both Mono- and Bilayer exhibit typical long-range fluidity



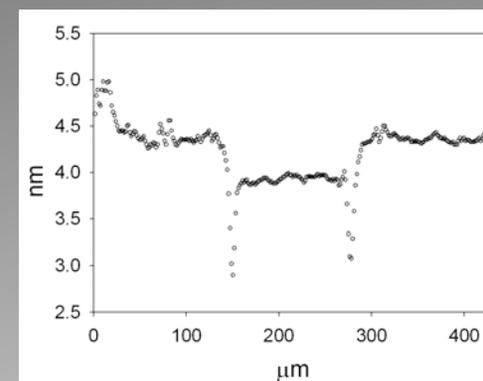
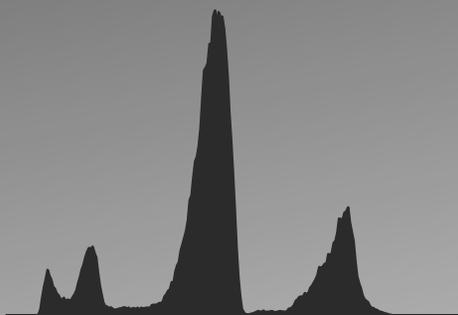
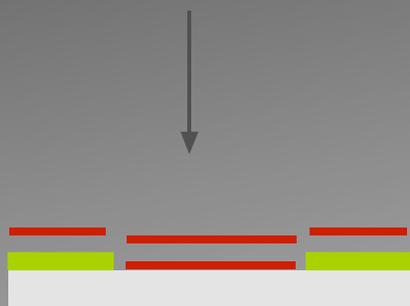
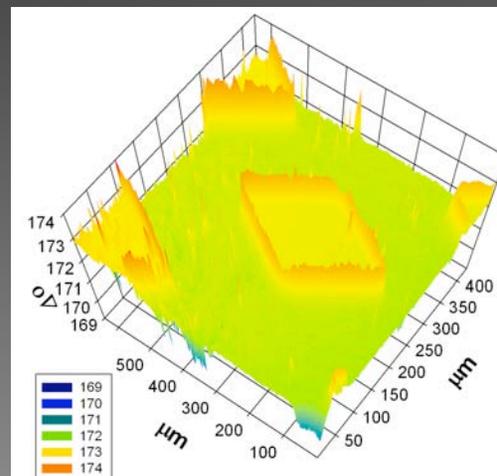
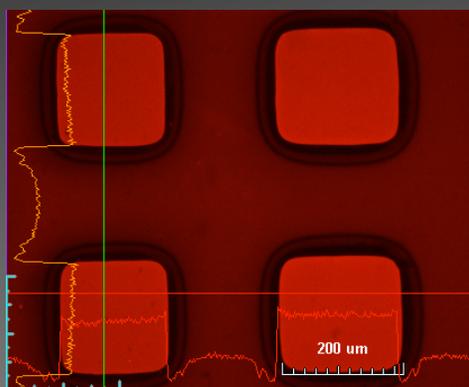
The two membrane fluids are disconnected



Protein patterns within membrane moats (nanoscale dimensions using microscale masks)



Membrane morphologies are templated by the Patterns of surface energy

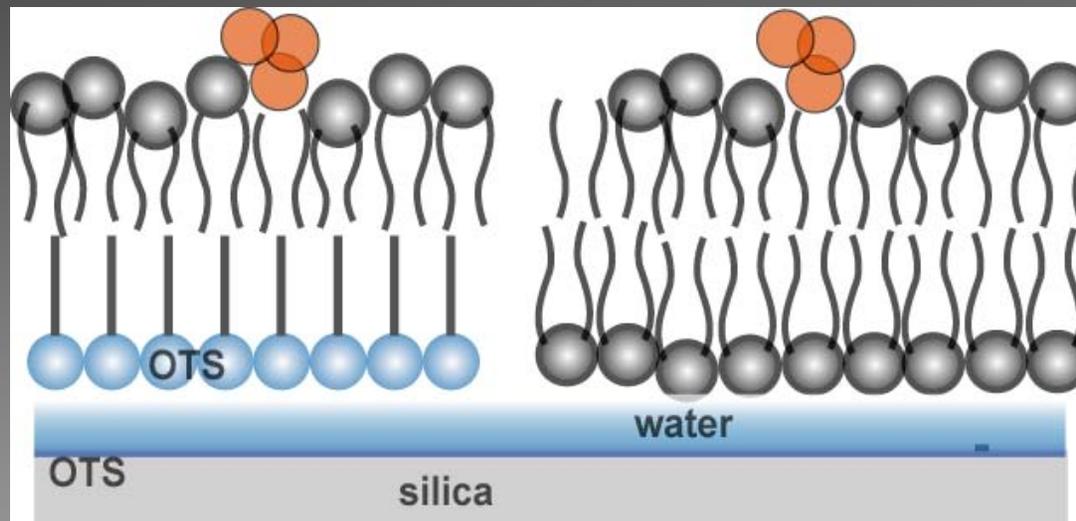


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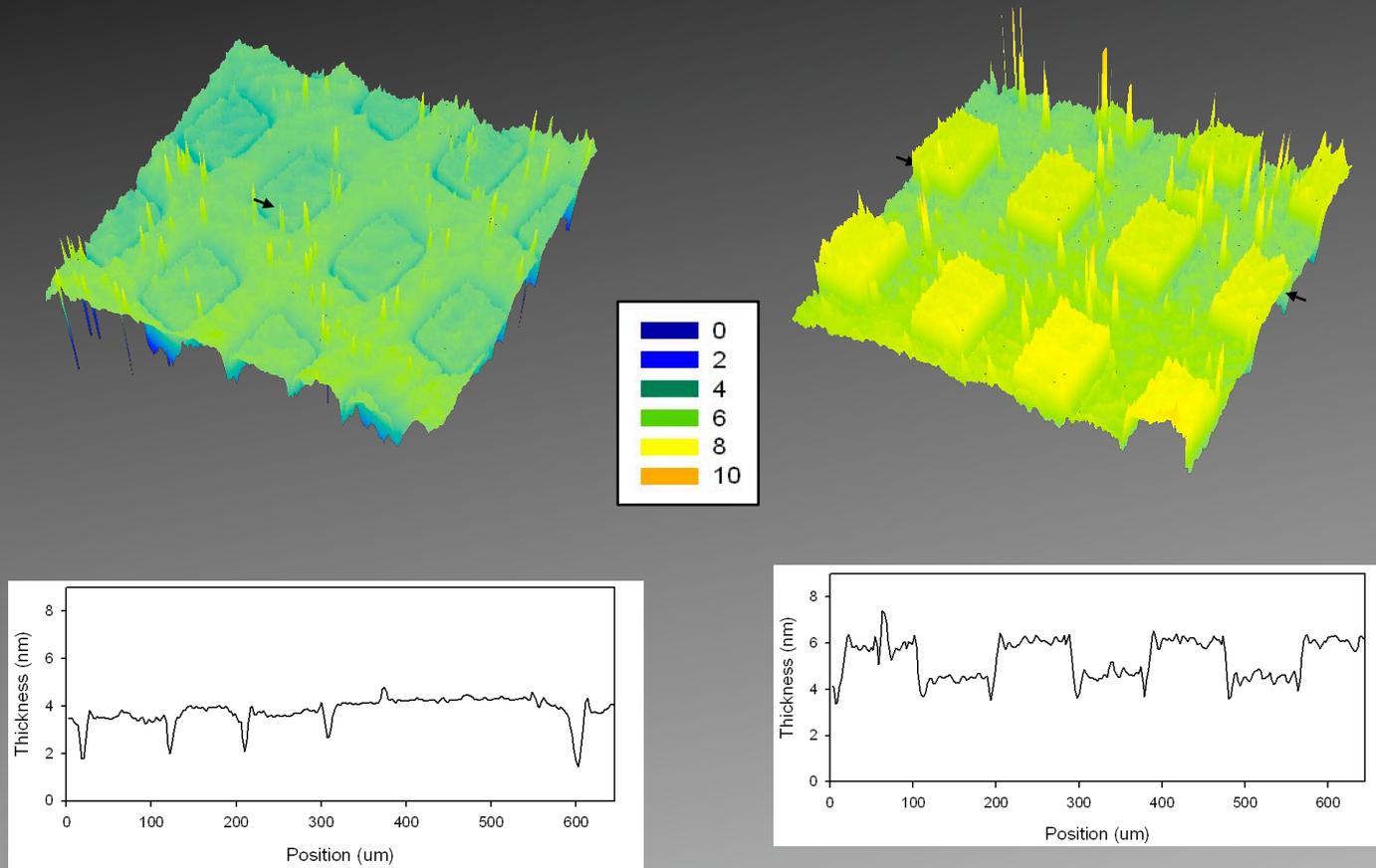
Asymmetric Distribution of Charged lipids

Negatively charged Texas-red and
Gm1 lipids

membrane asymmetry

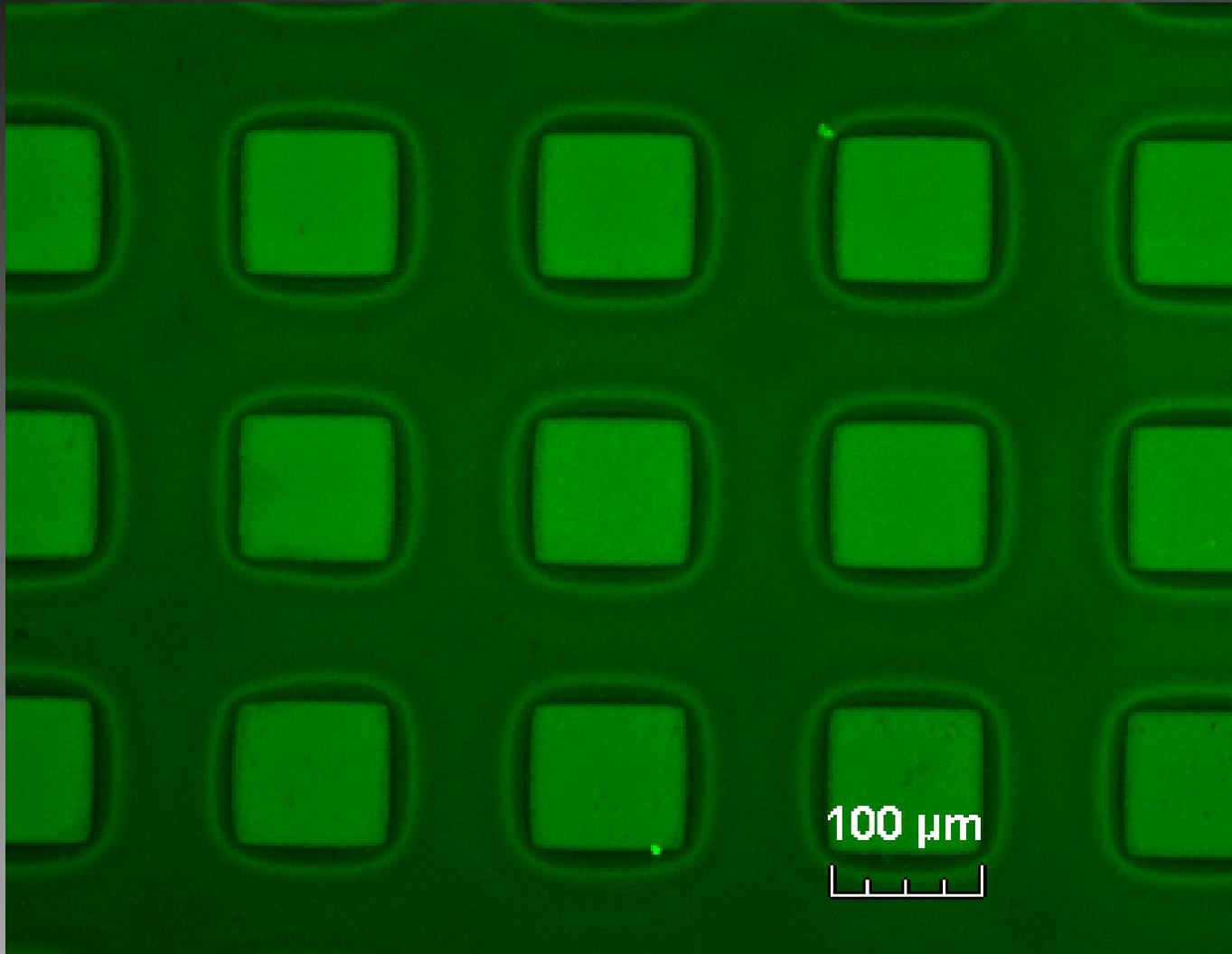


Cholera toxin (FITC-CTB) binding to 1% Gm1 containing POPC membrane patterns



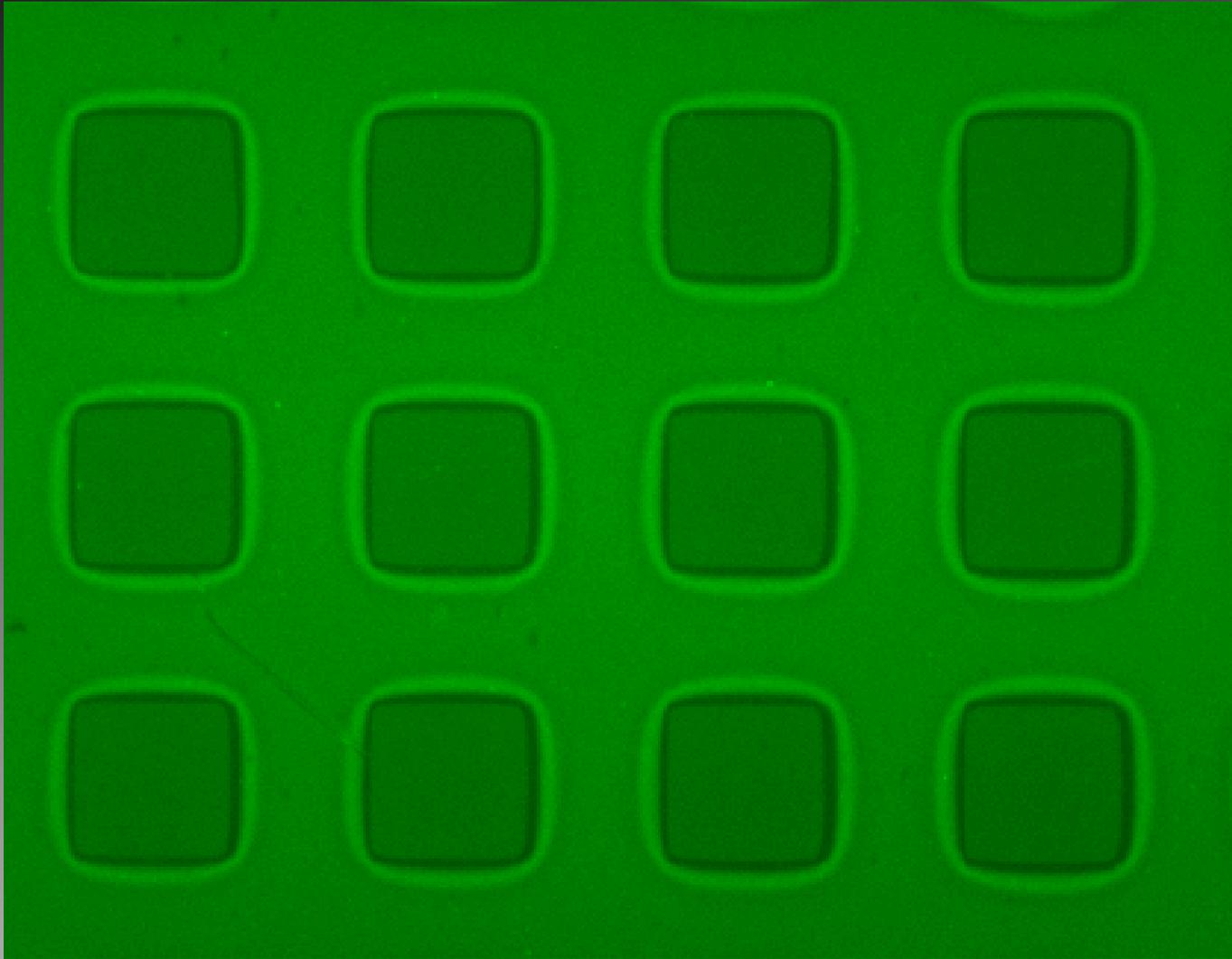
2 to 2.5 times higher binding in the bilayer region

FITC-CTB fluorescence pattern



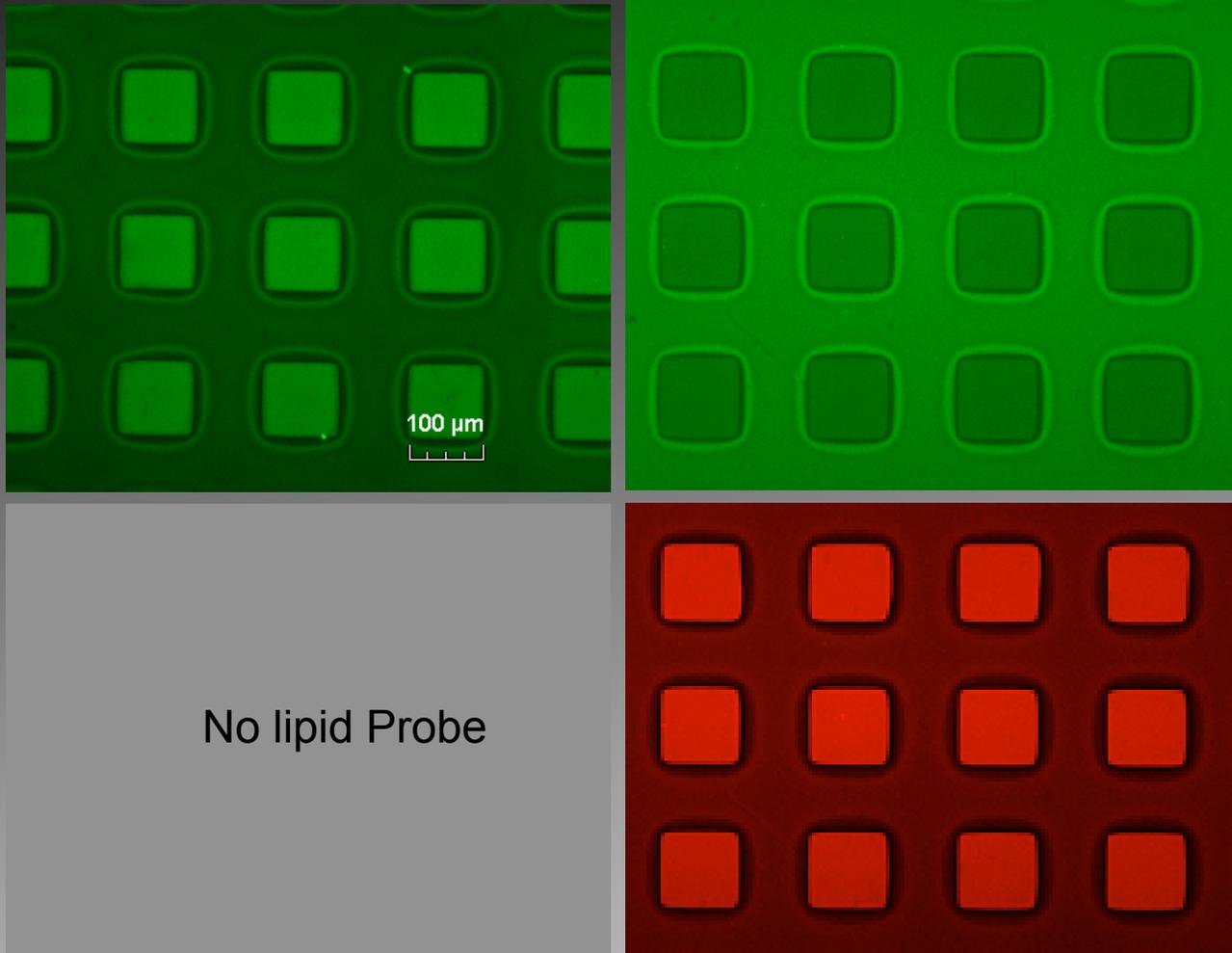
1 % Gm1 and 99% POPC

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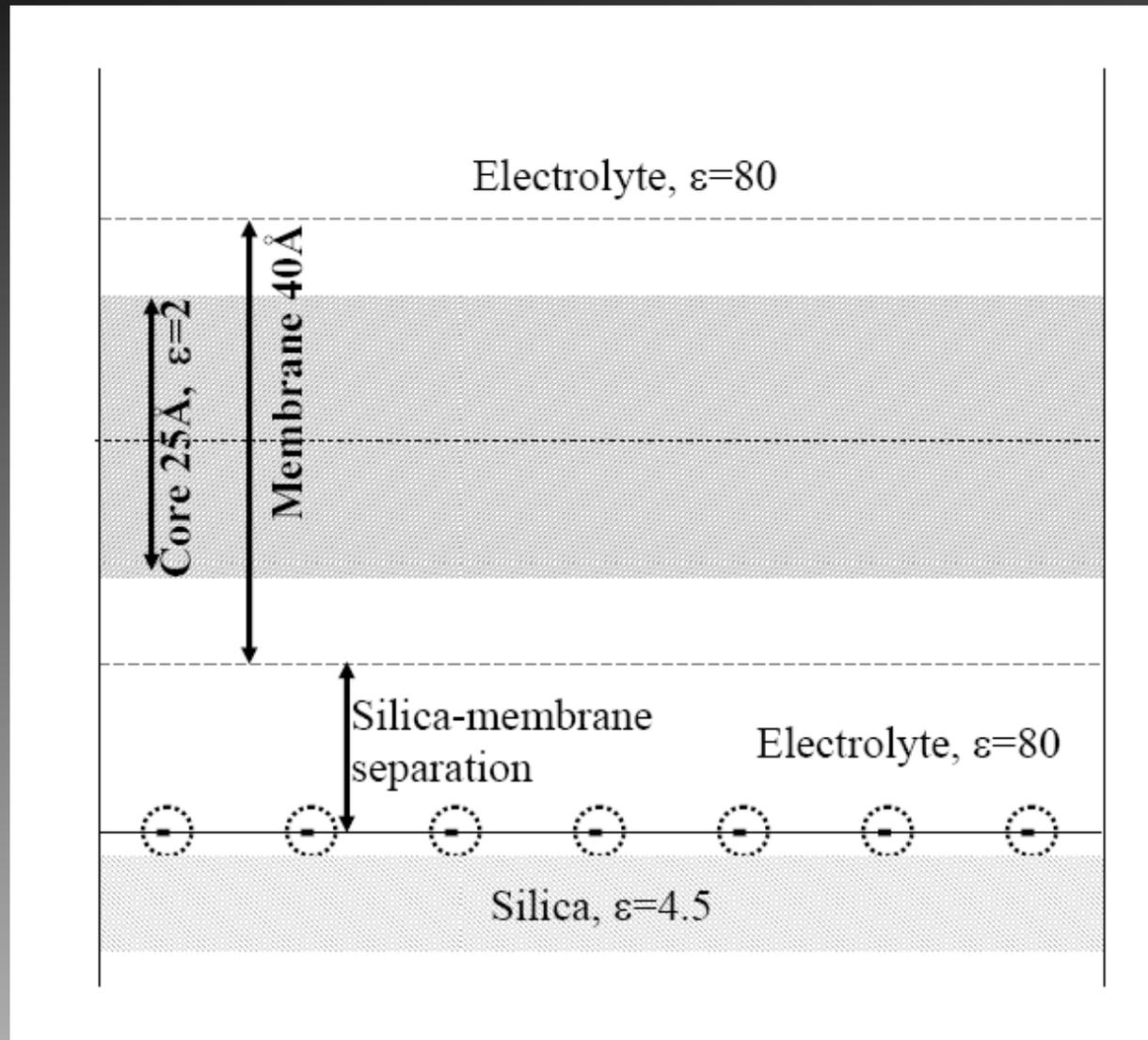


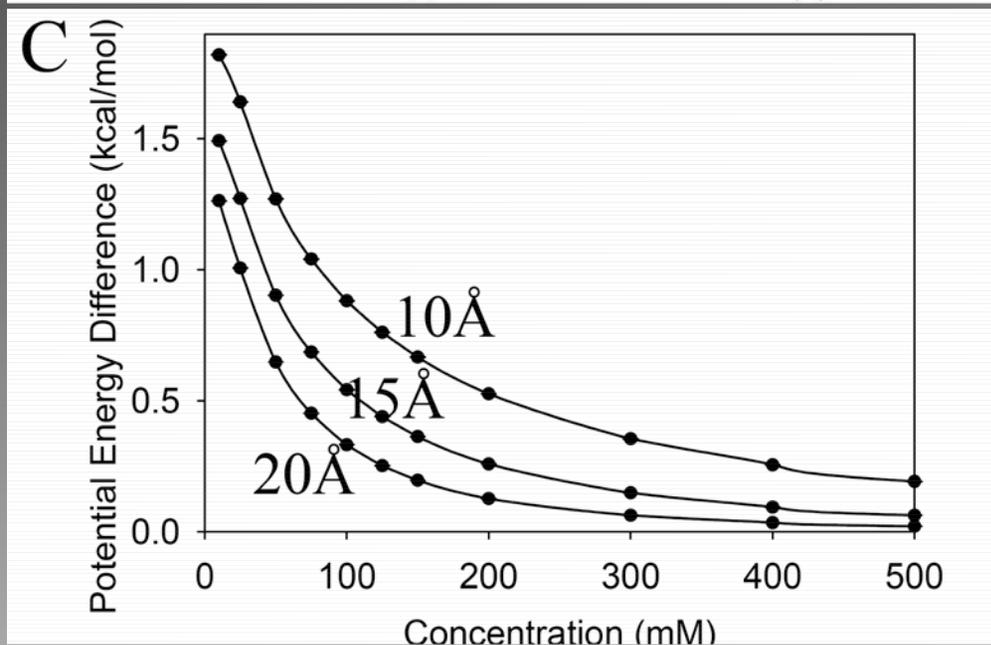
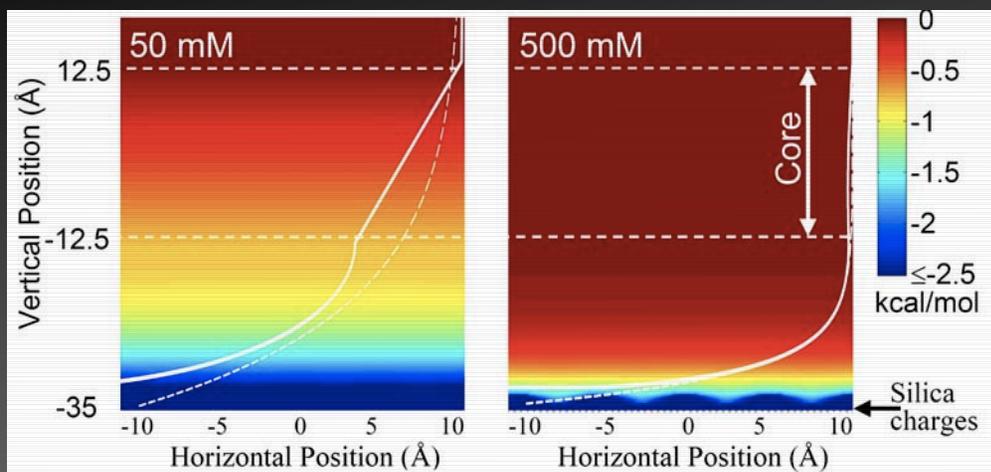
1 % Gm1, 1% Texas-red DHPE, 98% POPC

The contrast reversal suggests a significant enhancement
Of Texas-red probe in the distal leaflet



Electrostatic considerations

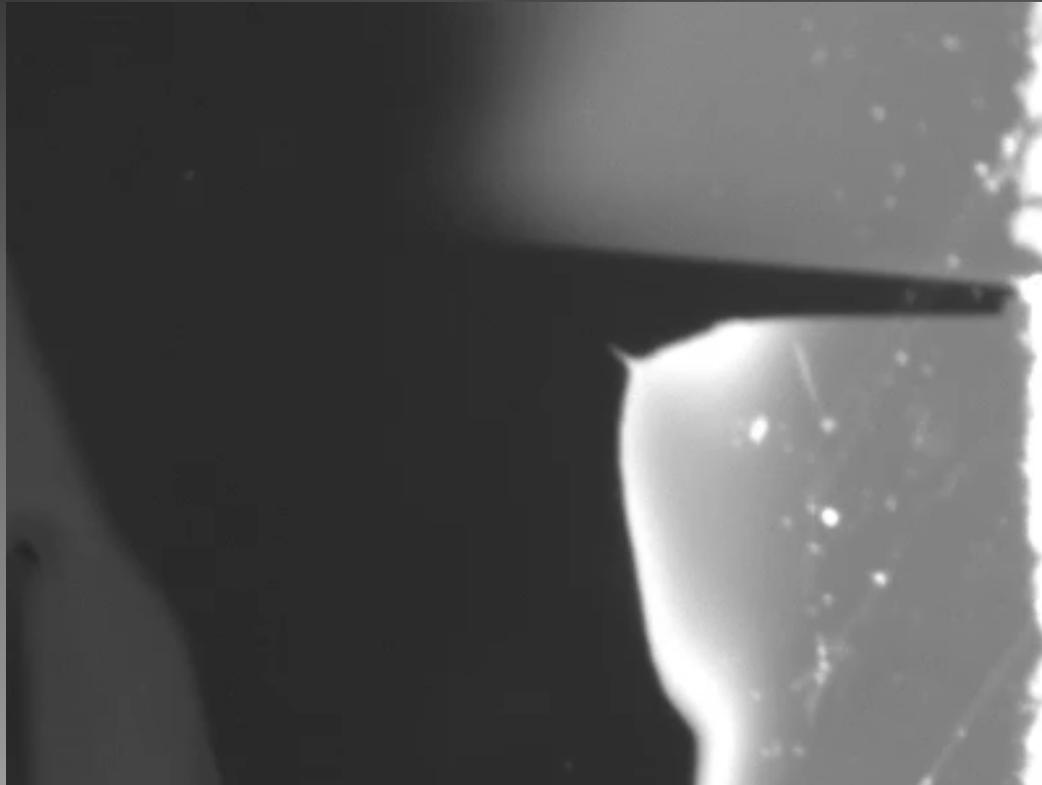




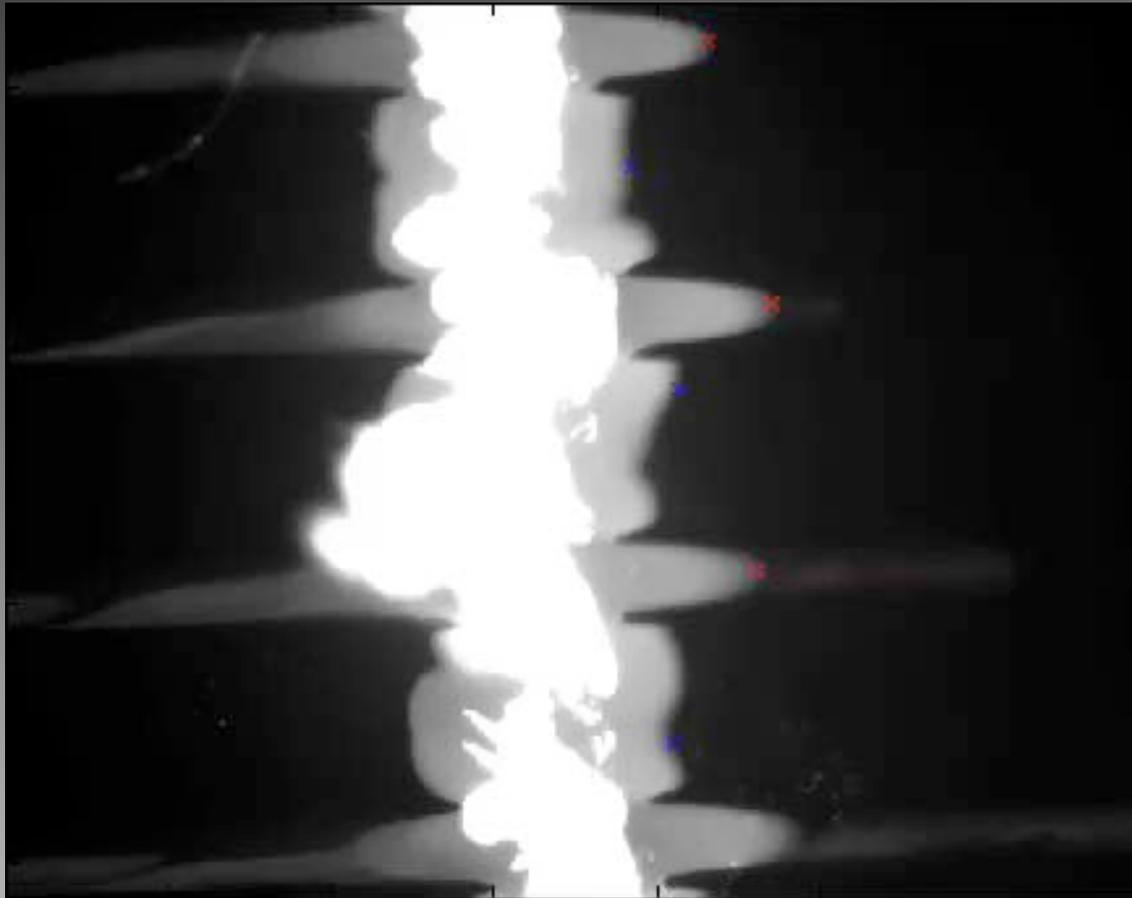
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Lipid spreading dynamics

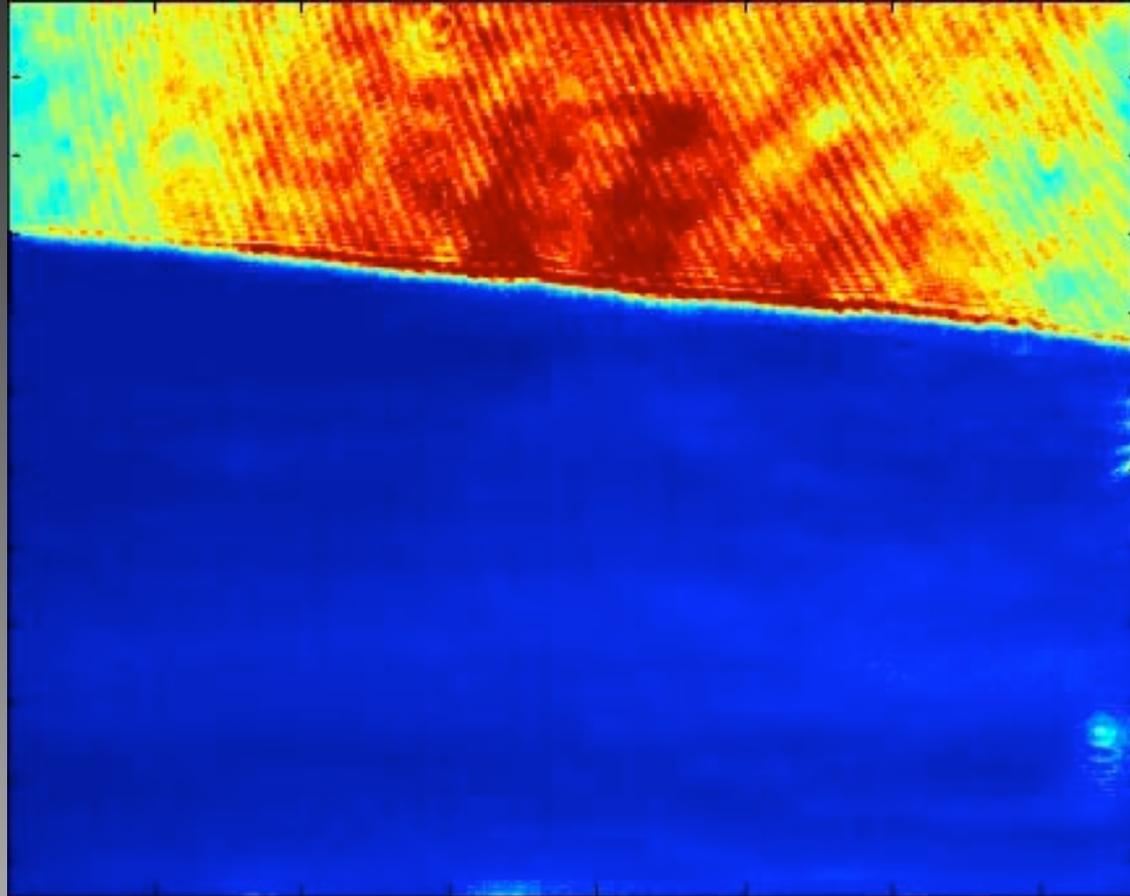
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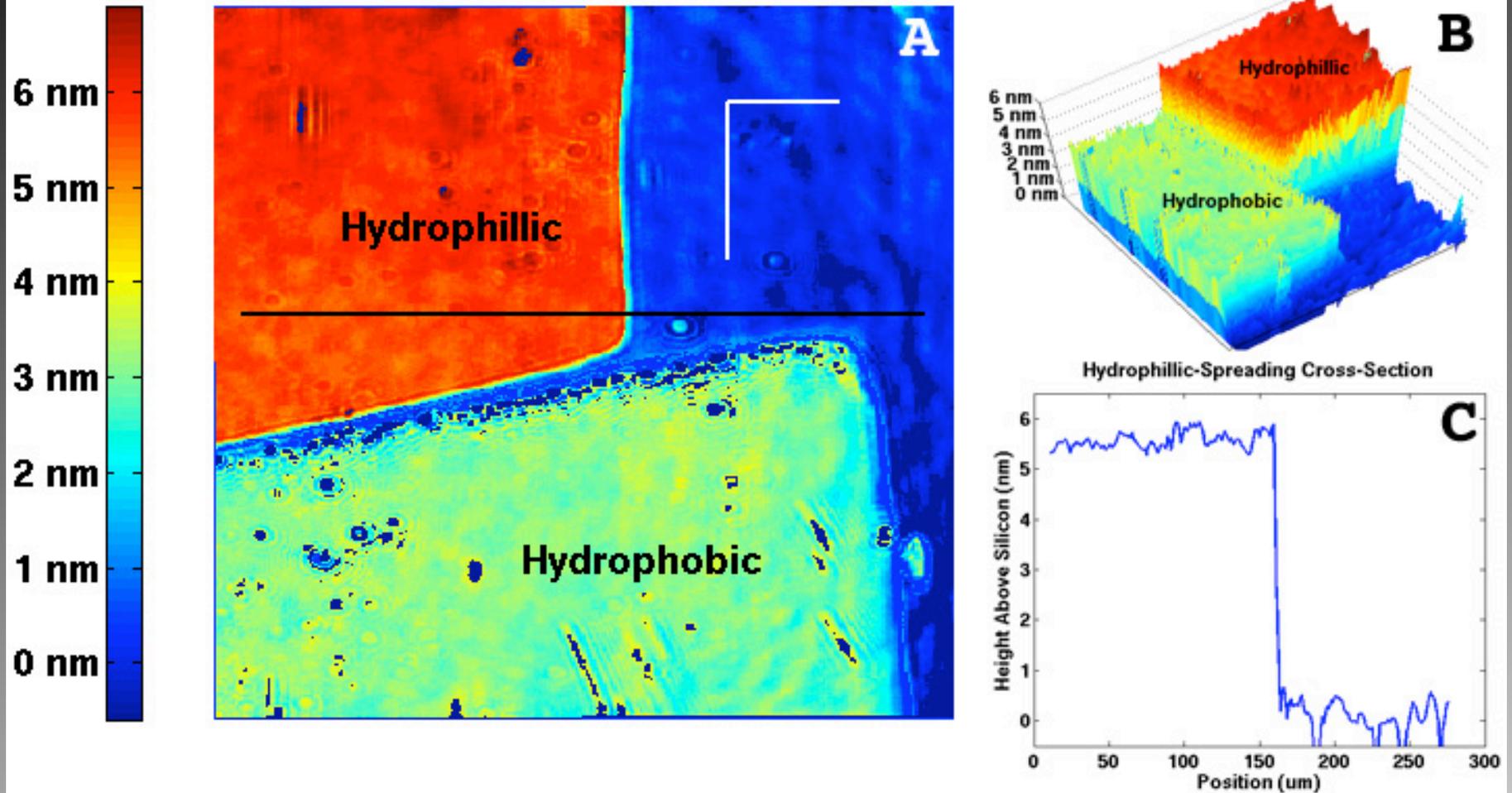
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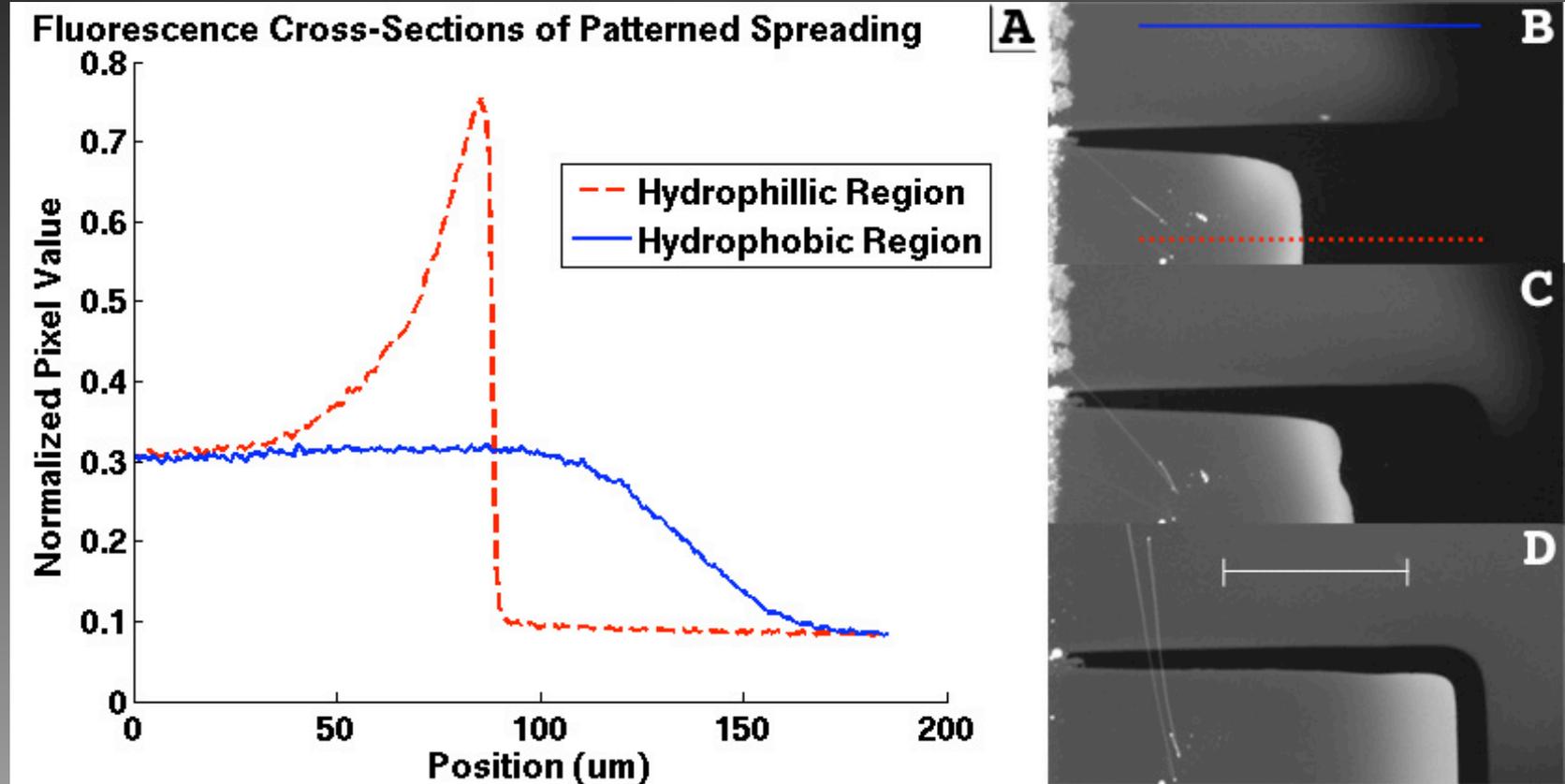
the thickness of the spreading foot



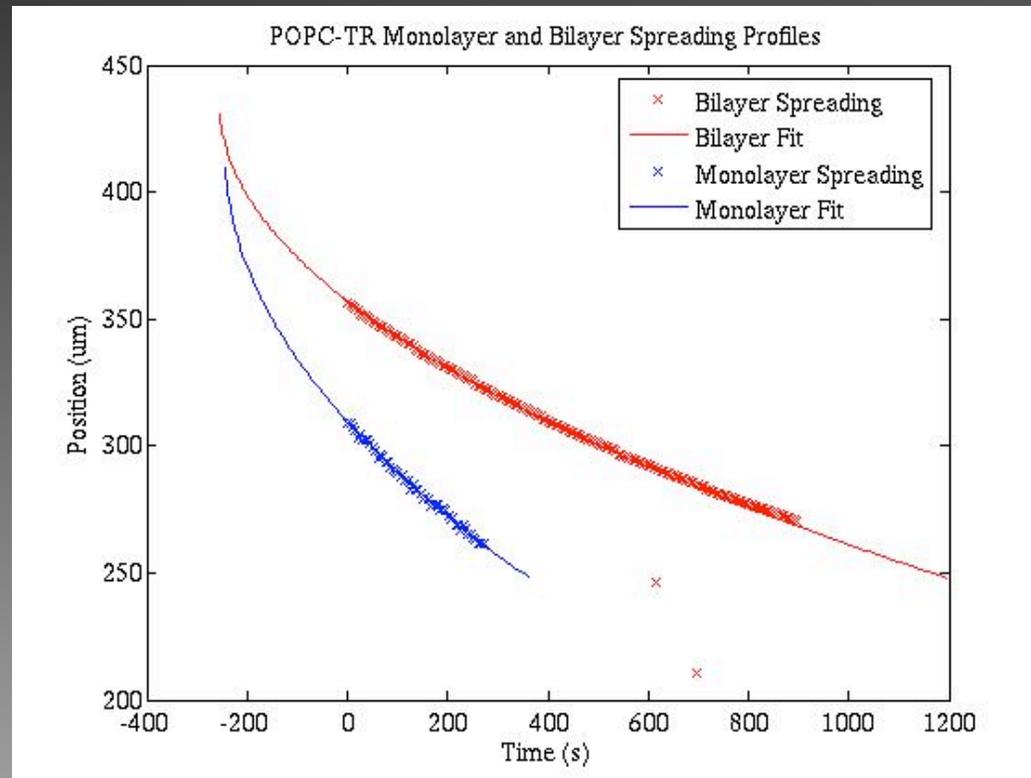
Ellipsometric confirmation of the spreading membrane morphologies



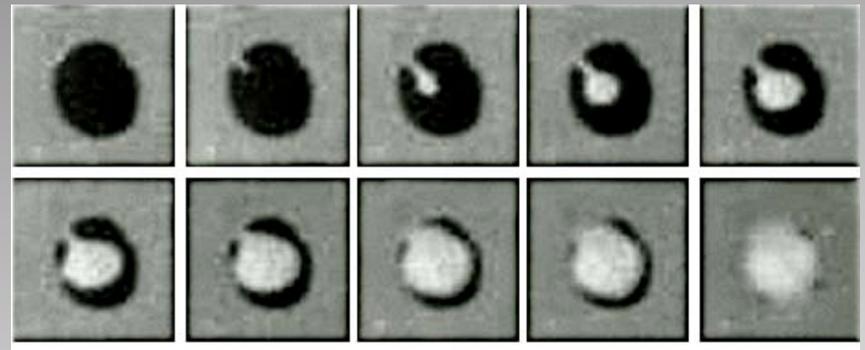
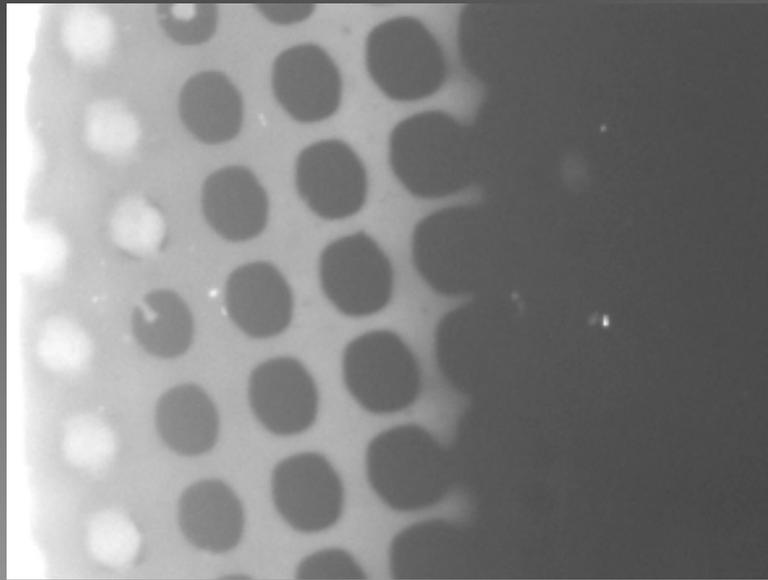
spreading fronts are tense



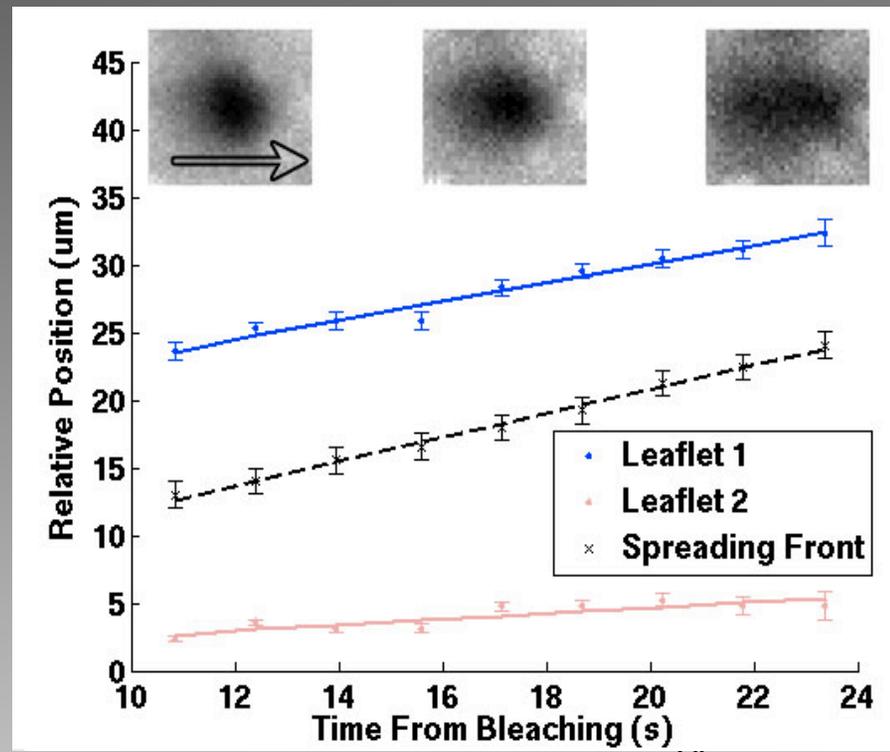
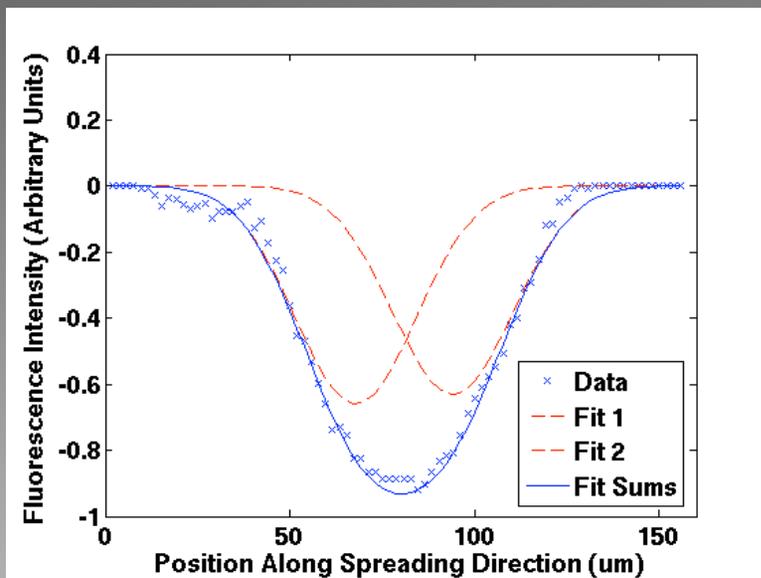
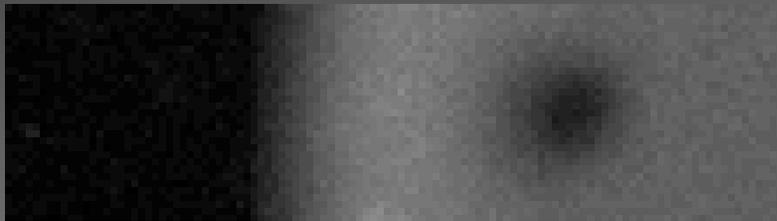
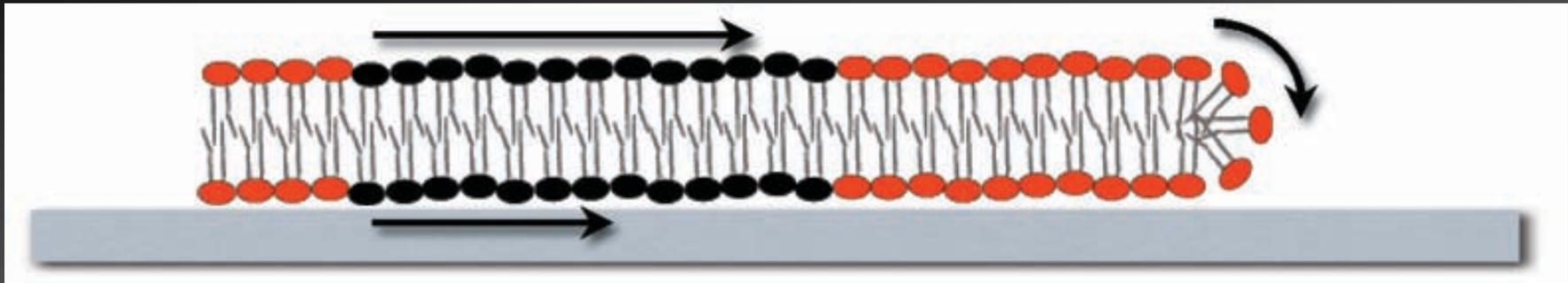
Monolayer spreads faster than the bilayer
both spread with square root of time kinetics

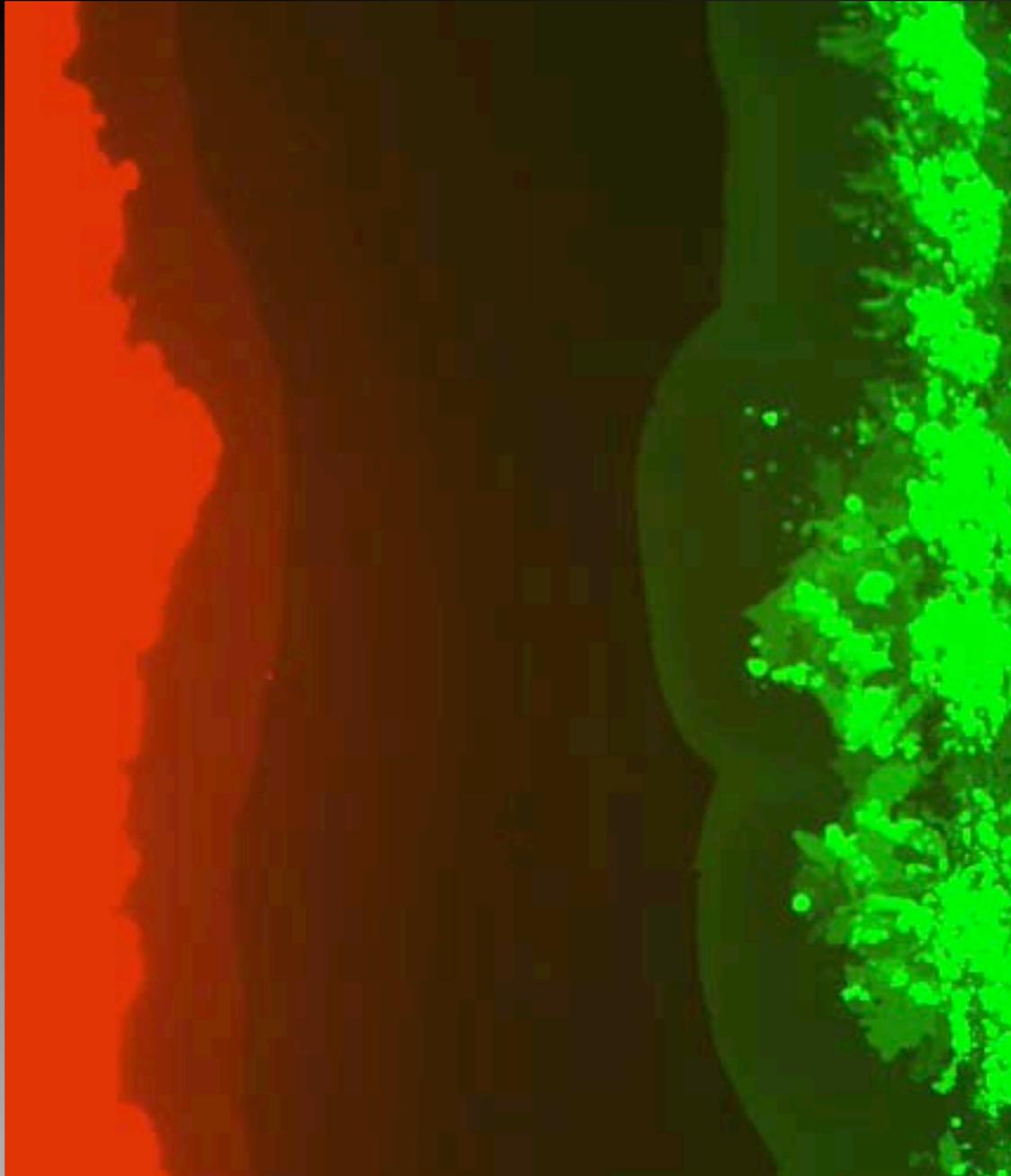


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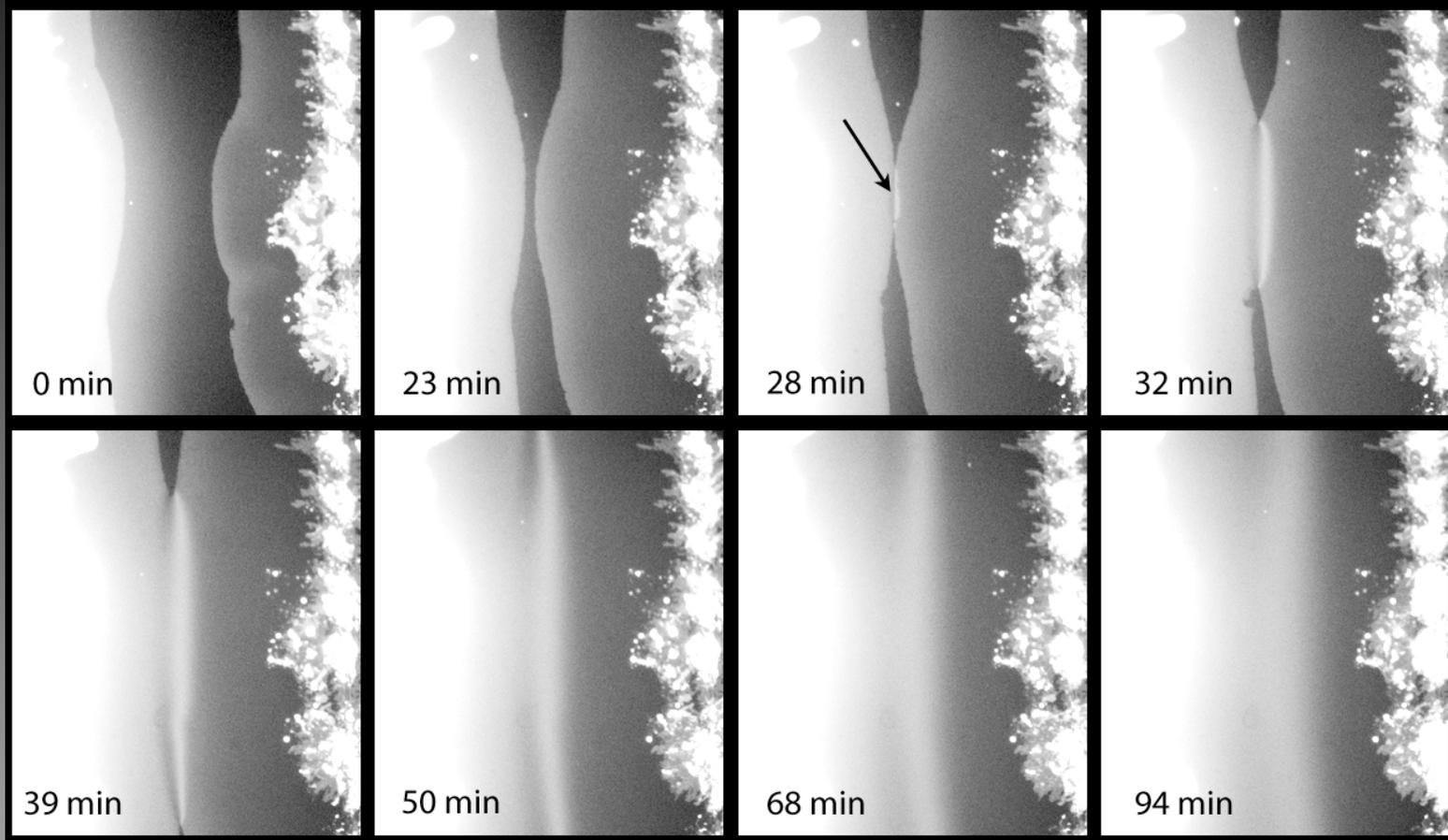
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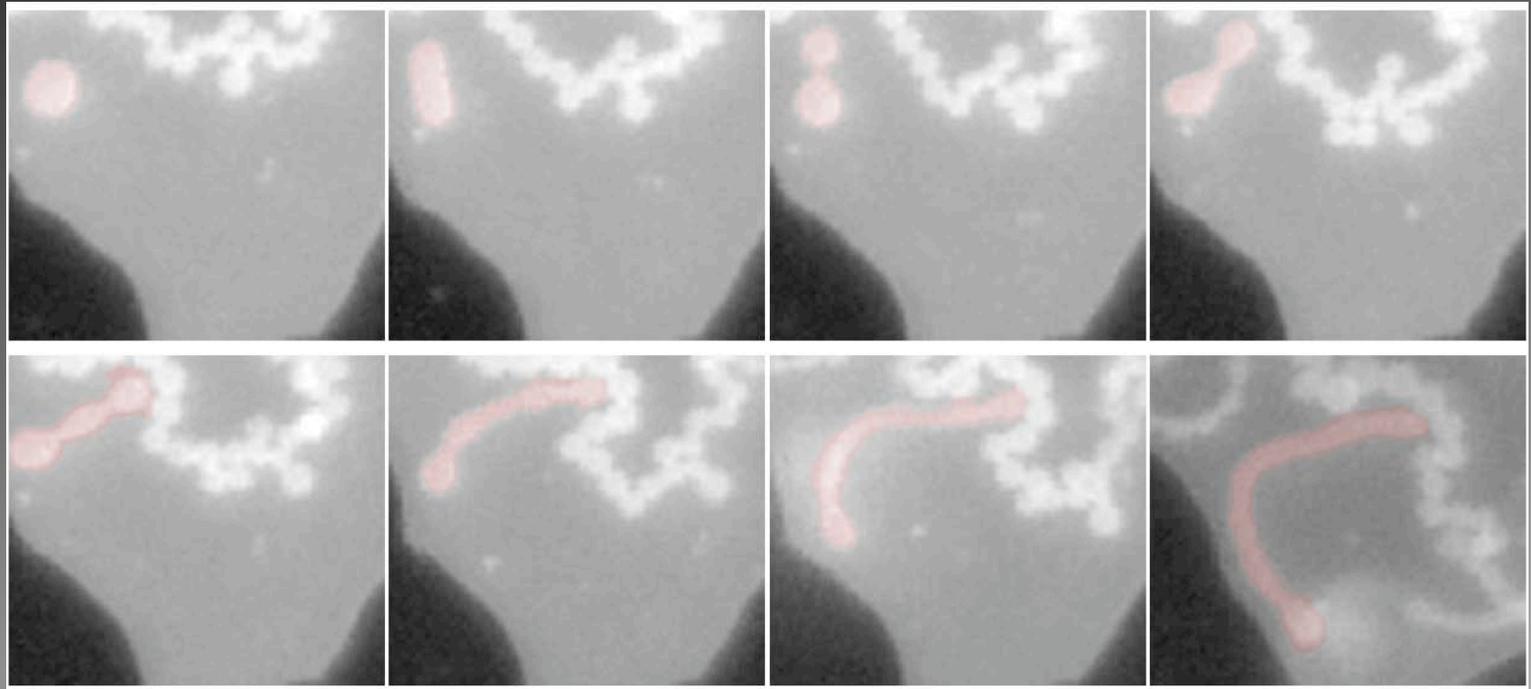
Bilayer Collisions

FRET Channel





Building Blocks of life



Corrugated surfaces

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